

## ADMIRAL SIMS DECLINES TO ACCEPT D. S. M.

Refuses Decoration  
While Sec. Daniels'  
Awards Stands

## ACTION CREATES A SENSATION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Rumblings of dissatisfaction within the navy at the way Secretary Daniels has arranged the awards of decorations for war service came to the surface today when it became known that Admiral Sims, former commander of U. S. naval forces in European waters, had declined to accept his distinguished service medal while the awards remain as at present. At the same time, the row which has been a smouldering one, gave indications of appearing in congress. Chairman Page of the senate naval committee asked for a report on the awarding of the decorations and Secretary Daniels transmitted it to him tonight. Meanwhile Representative Lufkin, Republican of Massachusetts, a member of the house naval committee, announced that he would ask the house to call for a similar report.

Coming as the climax to published charges that Secretary Daniels had re-arranged the awards raising some officers to higher distinction than recommended and "blue penciling" others, publication of Admiral Sims' action created a new sensation in the navy department, and added a new chapter to the long contest.

Writes to Daniels.  
The whole thing has been brought to a head by the action of Admiral Sims, who, writing an official communication to Secretary Daniels from the naval war college at Newport, R. I., has set out that officers for whom he recommended the distinguished service medal received the secretary's revision, a decoration of lesser value and that other officers whose duties and services Admiral Sims considered as of lesser value received by the revision, the more valued decoration. At the same time, it develops that Admiral Sims sent franked copies of his letter to many naval officers in Washington. His action became known first thru them and later today Mr. Daniels gave out the letter without comment. By her, however, Mr. Daniels had announced he had prepared the report asked by Senator Page and tonight after transmitting it to the senator made public copies of it. Admiral Sims in his letter, does not appear to refuse his decoration unconditionally. He refused it under the conditions he outlines and he asks an opportunity to explain his original recommendations. Besides that, he does not ask that the highest award be taken from any officer upon whom it already has been conferred, but he does ask for a revision upward of some lesser decorations.

Has Many Supporters.  
Sims, long known as the stormy petrel of the navy since his sensational "last drop of blood" speech in the Guild Hall at London, when he drew the attention of the foreign offices of Berlin, London and Washington, has figured in many sensations before and has many warm supporters among the officers.

Secretary Daniels' report to Chairman Page of the Senate Naval Committee outlines the general policy followed by the secretary in awarding medals and distinctions to naval officers and enlisted men. Indicating that the entire controversy revolves around the old navy department disagreement as to which class of service—shore or sea—is most important, Secretary Daniels is said:

Shore Duty Recognized.  
"The value of the duty on shore was duly recognized but in my opinion it should be of the highest importance and responsibility in order that this duty should be recognized by the award of the same kind of medals as that given to officers charged with great responsibility and at the same time in positions of grave danger in the active war zone, and this was the standard which any particular case had to meet for an officer on shore duty to be awarded the medal."

Were Given Preference.  
Emphasizing his belief that officers engaged in hazardous and responsible duties in the North Sea mining squadron, the destroyer force, the convoy and the armed guard services should be given preference in the award of high honors over officers on shore and those with ships in home waters, Secretary Daniels said that "the services rendered by these forces was recognized by the board of awards in assigning certain medals to the ships and stations concerned and this plan of procedure met my approval."

"With this policy in mind Secretary Daniels said he had changed, however, the recommendation of the board of awards convened under Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight in the case of a number of

## LITTLE HOPE FOR "WHITE CHRISTMAS"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Hopes for a "white Christmas," like those for a "wet Christmas" will depend largely on stocks on hand, weather bureau predictions tonight showing no indications of more snow either on Christmas eve or Christmas for east of the Mississippi river. There may be some snow tomorrow near the Great Lakes, but the forecast said such would be merely local. The snows of last week have not melted owing to uniformly cold weather so it appeared that Young America would have a chance to try out his Christmas sled. On Christmas the temperature would be moderated middle west, except the immediate great lakes section.

## VOTE CONFIDENCE

French Chamber of Deputies  
Ballot Stands 123 to 71

## HAVE OFFERED PACTS

M. Clemenceau Announces That  
Great Britain and U. S. Have  
Offered Military Pacts—Premier Appeals To Chamber

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The chamber of deputies today voted confidence in the government 123 to 71.

M. Clemenceau declared that President Wilson and Great Britain had offered military pacts. Certain points in the peace treaty had been questioned, but there were no serious objections to the military agreement. He added that the latest indications were that the Fiume situation would be solved, "and then only can we breathe freely."

M. Clemenceau appealed to the chamber to work hard and talk little. He said the cabinet at the end of the remaining weeks of its tenure of office would give its resignation to the president and add:

"It will not be an exit by one door to enter by another."

Asked by Marcel Cachin, Socialist, if he ought not to give an unequivocal explanation of the treaty and the Anglo-American military pacts, M. Clemenceau said:

"I did not ask for these military guarantees. They were offered by England and President Wilson. I do not believe they will be questioned."

On discussion on the London conference, ex-Premier Barthou questioned M. Clemenceau on Russia and the premier said Russia had been discussed previously, adding:

"I will tell you the two principal decisions we have taken. Not only will we not make peace, but we will not compromise with the government of the soviets. We have decided that we will be the allies of all peoples attacked by Bolshevism."

On the situation in the Adriatic he said:

"The Fiume question has been agonizing. Italy promised Fiume to the Jugo-Slavs, but went back on her promise. France, England and the United States have sought a solution, and the latest indications are that it will finally be reached. Only when this is solved can we commence to breathe freely."

or in home waters so that such officers would receive decorations of lesser value than officers served in the face of the enemy.

Another Difference of Opinion.  
In contrast to Admiral Sims' statement that the commanding officers of ships sunk by enemy submarines should not receive decorations Mr. Daniels said:

"In addition to the recognition of the service rendered by the officers and men of the forces above mentioned was also, of course, the case of particular individuals whose conduct was outstanding and who should be singled out for special recognition. It was my opinion that the distinguished service medal should be awarded to those officers in command of ships of the navy which were sunk by submarine attack and whose conduct was meritorious in such cases. I required all these cases to be carefully investigated and as a result every officer reported meritorious in command of such a ship was awarded a distinguished service medal."

Increases Number of Awards.  
Commenting on the fact that the Knight Board originally recommended only eight officers and men who served in the armed guard merchant ships for decorations, the secretary said that in view of the hazardous nature of such duty and after investigation he had increased the number to thirty six navy crosses and two distinguished service medals.

Admiral Sims in his letter to the secretary said:

"All individual duties afloat are necessarily of secondary importance in comparison with the vital importance of directing all operations both ashore and afloat in such a manner as to insure the success of the whole."

Refers to Daniels' Action.  
Rear Admiral Sims' letter in

## AGREES TO USE INFLUENCES TO END THE STRIKE

Alexander Howat Is  
Released from Jail  
By Judge Anderson

## CALLS MEETING OF THE BOARD

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 23.—A call for a meeting of the Kansas district executive board of the United Mine Workers of America for Friday when steps to end the strike of 1,000 employees of the Central Coal and Coke Company will be taken, was issued here this afternoon by Alexander Howat, president of the district, before leaving for Pittsburg, Kans.

Howat was released from jail today where he had been sent following a preliminary hearing on contempt charges, by Federal Judge A. B. Anderson, yesterday, after he had agreed to use his influence to end the strike. His call for the meeting followed a telegram sent to the Kansas district by William Green, international secretary-treasurer of the mine workers, ordering strikers to return.

Charges of contempt against Howat were part of general charges against 84 international and district miners officials in which it was alleged that they had violated the injunction issued by Judge Anderson against furtherance of the strike. Hearing of the charges against all the officials except Howat has been continued twice, the second time indefinitely.

Howat's alleged action in keeping a local strike in force in Kansas, however led to his arraignment in court yesterday and his commitment to jail when he failed to give assurance that it would be called off.

The Kansas official was brought into court again today and after a general discussion it was indicated that with resumption of work at the Central Coal and Coke Company's property a hearing of the charges against him set for next Monday would be continued and that Howat's status would be the same as the other officials.

At the beginning of today's session Howat expressed himself as being ready to stay in jail if he had to sacrifice all his rights as an American citizen. During the controversy over the right to strike Judge Anderson referring to Howat at one time said:

"This man is contemptuous and insolent."

Will Resume Work Today.  
Pittsburg, Kansas, Dec. 23.—Predictions that union miners who went on strike today because Alexander Howat, district president was imprisoned at Indianapolis would resume work tomorrow following the release of Howat, was made tonight by A. Dorchy, vice president.

Mr. Dorchy said that no action toward ending the General Coal and Coke Company strike, in effect since July, would be taken until President Howat returns from Indianapolis or sends instructions.

## EXPECT AGREEMENT AFTER HOLIDAYS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—At the Republican and Democratic senators continued their conference today on peace treaty reservations there were no concrete results and the leaders said they expected none for some days. There was a general feeling of confidence, however, that when the holiday recess ends January 5, the basis for an agreement will have been reached.

Drafts of proposed changes in the reservations framed by the senate majority were talked over by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts the Republican leader and Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, a leader of the mild reservation Republicans. They said no final agreement on phraseology was reached.

It was emphasized that the negotiations still were in a nebulous state and that many suggestions from many sources are yet to be considered.

## ANOTHER EASTERN CITY VOTES "WET"

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 23.—Somerville, the last city in the state to hold its municipal election followed the example of all but one of the cities which voted earlier, by declaring today in favor of the licensed sale of liquor. The vote was, Yes—2,771. No—2,301.

It was the first time since the local option system was instituted that the city had gone "wet."

## RECOMMENDS RELEASE

Chicago, Dec. 23.—A coroner's jury today recommended the release of Miss May Byrne, 22-year-old stenographer and her companions in the shooting gallery fatality in which John Reynolds, Republican was killed. The jury

## 14,000 CHILDREN TURN FESTIVAL INTO RIOT

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Thousands of uninvited children for whom no gifts were provided, crowded into the Seventy-first Regiment Armory tonight and threw New York's largest children's Christmas festival into a riot.

During the height of the uproar, fourteen thousand youngsters were in a scramble for presents which were stacked upon tables for the seven thousand needy "kiddies" invited.

Police reserves from six precinct stations, aided by the armory detail of soldiers, were unable to check the onrush. Several women fainted and scores of children, some on crutches, were bowled over.

No order was obtained until thousands of youngsters had been rushed into the street where, separated from their chaperones and mothers, many hungry and without gifts, they cried to be taken home. Less than fifty per cent managed to get a gift.

One frenzied, red faced youth wearing an abbreviated army coat was seen to take eight packages. The festival was staged by the People's Liberty Chorus and the police department.

## ON MURDER CHARGE LARGE INCREASE

Virgo To Be Arraigned On  
Charge of Murder  
State Completes Case  
Fewer Hours Per Day

Prosecuting Attorney Asserts Mrs. Tabor's Charges Regarding Illegal Operation on Her Daughter Maude Completes Case

LAWTON, Mich., Dec. 23.—Joseph C. Virgo, husband of Maude Tabor, will be arraigned on a charge of murder, Glenn Warner, prosecuting attorney indicated tonight. He stated that charges made by Mrs. Sarah Tabor, mother of Maude, that Virgo performed an illegal operation on her daughter, completed the state's case.

Mrs. Tabor, who is 80 years of age, is to be charged as an accessory after the fact, according to the prosecutor.

The body of Maude Tabor was found in a trunk in the Tabor home on Nov. 30, about three years after her disappearance. It developed that Virgo had made her fifth wife, and Mrs. Tabor in a signed statement made public today that Virgo told her he did not want children.

Mrs. Tabor declared that after her daughter died she slept beside the body seven days and that then Virgo placed it in the young woman's "hope chest" and hid it in the cellar.

At the coroner's inquest she denied an illegal operation had been performed.

## BAKER SENDS OUT CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

Washington, Dec. 23.—Secretary Baker today sent to all American troops in the United States and abroad this Christmas message:

"To those who wear the uniform of the United States, Christmas with its deep meaning of 'peace on earth, good will to men,' should take on an added significance this year in that during the new era of peace for which such great sacrifices were made, American institutions have been guarded during the twelve months past with that fidelity and devotion which has always been one of the great traditions of the United States army."

"With the new year approaching your country stands on the threshold of greater opportunities and prosperity than are to be read in any of the glorious pages of her history. Soldiers you represent the strength of your country and in peace as well as in war you can prove that foundation of democracy and the safeguard of liberty is the ability of the individual to perceive and defend the truth. I wish you a very Merry Xmas and a successful and Happy New Year."

## PORK SHOULDERS PLACED ON SALE

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Four million pounds of frozen pork shoulders was placed on sale here today by the quartermaster's department, U. S. A. army, at 17 1/2 cents a pound. The wholesale price of the meat today was 22 cents.

The meat is to be sold in cartons lots, according to Lieutenant Col. J. P. Castleman. The only restriction is that supplies purchased are not to be resold in big lots nor held.

"These meats are for immediate consumption," he said. "Municipalities, institutions, wholesale jobbers with a quick turnover and restaurants will be given preference."

## MUST SECURE WAIVERS FOR SALE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Clyde Wares, manager of the Seattle club in the Pacific Coast Baseball League must secure waivers from the other Coast League managers before his sale of Jimmy Walsh, outfielder, to Akron, Ohio, and "Ed" Sweeney, catcher, to Kansas City will be allowed, William H. McCarthy, president of the league ruled today. It was said Wares disposed of the players before consulting the other clubs, and that San Francisco was seeking both.

## AGED WISCONSINIAN DIES

Monroe, Wis., Dec. 23.—Joseph R. Trent, former state senator and leading figure in Wisconsin Republican circles died at his home.

## GEN. PERSHING PAYS VISIT TO BOYHOOD HOME

Famous Commander  
Spends Busy Day in  
LaCade, Mo.

## STATE GIVES HONOR MEDAL

LACLEDE, Mo., Dec. 23.—General John J. Pershing came back to his boyhood home today, ate turkey dinner, was presented with a medal, a loving cup and two apples, visited dozens of relatives and cronies, explored anew the old Pershing house, walked many miles and made several speeches.

In the words of Miss May Pershing, his sister, also a guest at the home-coming celebration, it was "a lovely day, quite beyond description."

And the general seemed to enjoy every minute of it from the time he stepped from his private car to grasp the first outstretched hand, that of Al Warfield, aged negro once employed in the Pershing household until he departed tonight for Lincoln, Nebraska.

Three impressive moments, one public, two private, marked the day. The public one came when Governor Frederick D. Gardner, presented the general with a medal as a token of Missouri's appreciation of his efforts in the war.

Of those in private, one took place when friends and former schoolmates presented him with a loving cup.

After the presentation address the general arose and remained silent several minutes. Then in choking tones, he thanked the donors and told them it would always be one of his most cherished possessions to be passed down to his son, Warren.

A third tense moment came when he expressed his sympathy to the father, mother and sister of a soldier killed in France.

Standing in the dining room he knew as a boy he told the sorrowing trio that his heart went out to them.

The two apples were presented him by G. A. Smith of Chillicothe, Mo., a member of the board of examiners that passed upon his application to West Point.

Gen. Pershing followed earlier explorations of the old home with another tour late today after he had returned from the opera house where a public reception was held.

In replying to the governor's address on presentation of the medal at his old home, General Pershing said:

"It was here that I learned the lessons of patriotism and devotion to duty. These lessons were handed down to me in my youth by my father and mother and were here that I learned a deep sense of duty to my country and to my God."

"The lessons of service were taught me by my parents whose staunch characters impressed it upon me, and caused me to follow the path of duty. Whatever service I may have rendered in cooperation with or in command of our young manhood I owe primarily to my mother's early teachings. Many of you know her and LOVED her. Too often we have been slow to value the influence of our mothers."

"In late years I have come to realize it. During the war it was borne in on me. We all felt that the wonderful loyalty and devotion of the women of America were sustaining us. I am very much overawed with emotion by the thus honored today. The circumstances are overwhelming. To receive such an emblem in the old yard where I romped as a boy brings a choke in my throat and I can't just say what's in my heart. No honor has come to me greater than this in the midst of those whom I love and cherish. To receive such a tribute I assure you is a treasure more precious than I care to express."

## TESTIMONY BACKS ALLEGED "FRAME-UP"

New York, Dec. 23.—Testimony supporting the allegation that Captain Karl W. Detzer, on trial on charges of brutality to A. E. F. prisoners at LeMans was "framed" by men whose enmity he had incurred in France was given late today by Fred Marlow, former lieutenant in the department of criminal investigation and Detzer's chief aide oversaw.

Marlow testified that Sergeant Frank Hoyt, now said to be a deserter in France threatened to "get" Captain Detzer unless he tried to obtain his release from prison.

## REFUSE PERMISSION

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 23.—Permission for "Mother" Jones to address the steel strikers was refused today by Sheriff James Newkirk and Mayor William C. Barber. "Mother" Jones says the misguided officers "has done the

## WHEAT PRODUCTION IS BELOW NORMAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Wheat production for 1919 was 2,074,761,000 bushels, or 92.7 per cent of the 1918 production and 96.5 per cent of the five year average according to figures on fifteen countries furnished by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, made public today by the crop estimates bureau. The countries included were Spain, France, England, Wales, Scotland, Italy, Netherlands, Roumania, Switzerland, Canada, United States, British India, Japan, Tunis, Denmark and Algeria.

The sugar beet production for Spain, Netherlands, Switzerland, Canada and the United States was 117.2 per cent of the 1918 output.

## Will Be Instituted Into Rad- ical Activity in U. S.

## LEADERS' STATEMENT

Institution Next Month of a Congressional Investigation Is Announced by Senate and House

Leaders Yesterday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Institution of early next month of a general congressional inquiry into radical activity in the United States was announced today by senate and house leaders.

Chairman Johnson of the house immigration committee returning from New York, where he saw the first boat load of undesirable anarchists and communists in western Europe, announced that his committee planned to resume hearings on radicalism soon after the holidays at eastern ports and that in the meantime members here would review the many seditious documents seized in department of justice raids. He declared there were many radicals, anarchists and communists in western Europe who would follow Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman and 247 others from this country.

To contact this investigation of Ludwig C. K. Mertens, "ambassador to the United States from soviet Russia, and of Russian propaganda in general ordered by the senate to Chairman L. J. Higgins if the foreign relations committee today appointed a subcommittee to be headed by Senator Moses, Republican, New Hampshire. Hearings are to be started soon after the senate reassembles January 5.

Officials of foreign governments have been notified of the action of the United States in deporting Berkman, Goldman and many associates, the state department today making public a message to be sent to various foreign capitals, which said:

The department's message follows: "There are being deported from the United States to soviet Russia, about 250 citizens of Russia who are undesirable here. These persons, while enjoying the hospitality of this country, have conducted themselves in a most obnoxious manner; and while enjoying the benefits and living under the protection of this government have plotted its overthrow. They are a menace to law and order. They hold theories which are antagonistic to the orderly processes of modern civilization. They have indulged in practices which tend to subvert the rights which the constitution of the United States guarantees to its citizens. They are arrayed in opposition to government, to decency, to justice. They plan to apply their destructive theories by violence in derogation of law, and they are anarchists. They are persons of such character as to be undesirable in the United States. America and the world are being endangered by their presence. The department is in accordance with the law."

"Precaution has been taken to request for them safe conduct and humane treatment at the hands of the authorities under whose jurisdiction they will pass enroute to soviet Russia."

While explaining that the ultimate destination of the transport Buford and her cargo was soviet Russia, Anthony Caminetti, commissioner general of immigration said that the exact landing place of the radicals would be decided by conditions prevailing when the vessel reached Europe and on the orders transmitted to the agents of the immigration service enroute.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS AND INDICATIONS

Illinois: Cloudy Wednesday; Thursday probably fair; not much change in temperature.

Temperatures.  
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Tuesday were:

Jacksonville, Ill. . . . . 32 33 26  
Boston . . . . . 38 42 28  
Buffalo . . . . . 38 42 24  
New York . . . . . 38 44 28  
New Orleans . . . . . 58 62 50  
Chicago . . . . . 34 34 24  
Detroit . . . . . 28 30 22  
Omaha . . . . . 26 38 22  
Minneapolis . . . . . 28 34 24  
Helena . . . . . 34 34 24  
San Francisco . . . . . 52 52 48

## HERE FROM MONTANA

Glenn Wood of Missoula, Mont. is here for a holiday visit with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wood, his sister, Miss Lulu Wood, and Mrs. Clarence Fishback of Louisville.

## OPERATORS WILL ABIDE BY RULES OF COMMISSION

Says President's  
Agrees With Resolution Adopted

## PENNA ISSUES A STATEMENT

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 23.—In a statement declaring the attitude of the coal operators in the central competitive field, been changed by any person, authority since they agree plan similar to that proposed by President Wilson for settling miners' wage controversy, Penna, spokesman for the operators in the wage negotiations the past few months, late indicated that the operators abide by the decisions of the commission appointed by the president to arbitrate prices of coal.

Mr. Penna stated that president's plan for appointment of a commission differed from the plan agreed by the operators and ex-miners, but that the operators should have been consulted before it was presented.

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increase the price to 10

cents as a part of the plan

to raise prices. Judged

ago and other cities where

the same time ago was

8 cents, no permanent

of sales will result and

nothing will happen in

the city. The only way to save

so far as metropolitan

are concerned is by limit-

ing number of pages.

CT FOR

FOURTHS.

Anderson of Indianapolis

too rapid in his enforce-

ment decrees to suit a lot

of people, but the Kansas

attorney to justify action of

the court orders. Open

of court orders is cer-

tainly a dangerous thing for

this and Judge Anderson will

perform a public service if he can

stop it.

## GREAT BUSINESS.

The stores were not quite so

crowded yesterday as often hap-

pens two days before Christmas.

But that does not mean unsatis-

factory business conditions. On

the contrary, stores in Jackso-

nville have been busier than ever

this year. The lesser number of

buyers Tuesday was occasioned by

the fact of early buying. Stocks

were large, people began to make

selections early, with the result

that the number of late comers is

not so large as usual.

## CAN STUDY

IN FRANCE.

There has been a good deal of

newspaper comment on the un-

friendly restrictions passed by

German universities against Am-

ericans and other "foreigners." This

lack of welcome in Germany will

be made up by the increased

hospitality in England, France

and some other countries of the

old world, where there are

abundant opportunities for study

and research.

## WELCOME

THOMPSON'S OPPOSITION.

It is interesting to note that

Lieutenant of Governor Low-

den's presidential nomination

campaign are inclined to wel-

come the opposition of Mayor

Thompson of Chicago. Because

Gov. Lowden will not agree to

support Mr. Thompson as candi-

date for member of the national

committee against the Thompson

forces are to come into open

opposition. The Lowden men point

with some pride to the story that

the mayor has not yet forgiven

the governor for sending troops

to Chicago in order to maintain

Americanism.

THE BOYCOTT PLAN.

"I won't pay it" clubs are being

organized rapidly in the west,

with a membership largely made

up of women. The organization is

on the same principle of the con-

sumers league in Chicago and

purposes that members shall re-

fuse to buy commodities that ap-

pear to be too high in price. As a

result of such campaign it is

said that egg prices in Chicago

went down the other day 12

cents a dozen.

There are lots of possibilities to

this boycott plan, for that's just

what it is, by another name, but

there are also some disad-

vantages. Among other things,

the members of the club will be

likely to learn the unpleasant

habit of haggling.

Why not stop burning up the

existing buildings, if there are not

enough to go around and more

cannot be built under existing

conditions? Thousands of homes

are burned each month, most of

them through carelessness. If

housing is so important, if homes

are so hard to find, why not be

careful with those that we have?

Apply fire prevention methods.

Be careful about matches, smok-

ing, lighting and heating ap-

paratus and gasoline. Clear out

the rubbish, inspect the flues,

watch the shingle roofs. Con-

servancy is the order of the day,

and if the shortage of dwellings

will cause householders to be

careful about the fire hazards of

their homes one criminal cause

of that shortage will be greatly

reduced.

Of late years a number of

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American government residuary

legatee in his will, with a pro-

vision that his estate should be

used for the establishment of an

institution of study and scientific

research in Washington, to be

known as the Smithsonian Insti-

tution. The American government

accepted the bequest and the In-

stitution was started here in the

early forties.

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## City and County

Mrs. Edward Sanders of Concord came to the city yesterday. Mrs. Iven Wood of Pisgah was a holiday shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. G. Wolfe of Markham had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

John Eisenhower of Quincy was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

**My Grocery Store will be closed all day Christmas.**

**MATTHEW MILLER**

C. H. Schaeffer of Arenzville, augmented the list of city arrivals yesterday.

L. Miller of Canton was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

L. B. Smith was a representative of Concord in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White were down to the city from Arcadia yesterday.

**Our store will be closed all day Christmas.**

**W. F. COOK, Grocer**

Delbert Sublett was a city caller from Franklin yesterday.

Charles Crabtree of Hillsboro was attending to matters in town yesterday.

Newton Sorrells of Literberry made a trip to the city yesterday.

**BLUE GEM DIAMONDS**

**BASSETT'S Jewelry Store.**

William Ryan of Franklin made the city a visit yesterday.

Edward Jones of Nortonville was a caller in the city yesterday.

**Last day to get him a Xmas gift at Knoles'.**

Nolan Smith of the east part of the county called in the city yesterday.

Harry Haigh of the vicinity of Arnold made a trip to the city yesterday.

**CHOICE CUT GLASS**

**BASSETT'S Jewelry Store.**

William Wade was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allan of Riggsport were among the city shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Sorrell was down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

Henry Maul helped represent Arcadia in the city yesterday.

**SENSIBLE AND HANDSOME**

**Are the shoes at James McGinnis & Co.'s east side square. Try a pair for Christmas.**

William Ryan of Franklin journeyed to the city yesterday.

Martin Carroll of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

**"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"**

**Jos. Heintz & Sons, Florists.**

A. L. Lukeman of Franklin was among the callers in town yesterday.

Charles Young was down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

**A FEW MORE LEFT**

**We still have some of those nice shoes so suitable for Xmas. Jas. McGinnis & Co.**

John Young of the northeast part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

W. H. Witte, Jr. was a city caller from Arenzville yesterday.

Ollie Parker, Jr., expects to en-

joy the Christmas vacation with friends in Louisiana, Mo.

Mrs. Fred Ranson of the west part of the county made a trip to the city yesterday.

**Solid Gold, Gold Filled and Sterling Pencils**

**SCHRAM & BUHRMAN**

H. L. Moon journeyed from Beardstown to the city yesterday.

Martin Anderson made a business trip from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Earl J. Bourne of the vicinity of Shiloh made the city a call yesterday.

**Russell & Thompson store will be open evenings until 9 o'clock until Christmas.**

W. A. Spencer, residing near Manchester, traveled to the city yesterday.

J. W. William of Markham was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Mrs. William Johnson of Alexander was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

**GOOD NEWS**

**A car load of PATHE'S arrived Tuesday. See them on our floor today. We can make immediate delivery.**

**PEOPLE'S FURNITURE CO**

**209 S. Sandy St.**

W. M. Woods of Franklin was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Edward Ludwig made a trip from Alexander to the city yesterday.

Ralph Herr was a city caller from New Berlin yesterday.

Mrs. F. D. Stefkun of Wichita, Kansas is enjoying the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Capps of this city.

**"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"**

**Jos. Heintz & Sons, Florists.**

Mrs. J. S. Mitchell of Flora is enjoying a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Havelt of this city.

Misses Sarah Morton and Jessie Douglas have gone to Princeton to visit with Miss Morton's sister, Alfred Rawling of Franklin was a caller in the city yesterday.

Milton Smith of Arcadia was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

**Remember the nice things for him at Knoles'.**

Archie Hoagland of Pisgah visited yesterday with city friends.

F. H. Jewsbury was up to the city from Markham yesterday.

Robert Taylor and sister, Miss Alice, were city arrivals from Virginia yesterday.

Mrs. Walker Henderson of the north part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

**SACRIFICING SALE OF DESIRABLE READY TO WEAR GARMENTS, FURS AND MILLINERY NOW ON AT HERMAN'S. OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.**

W. J. Lawson and wife were up to the city from Pisgah yesterday.

W. R. Steele helped represent Nortonville in the city yesterday.

G. A. Petefish of Literberry was down to the city yesterday.

**Bracelet Watches—the good kind**

**SCHRAM & BUHRMAN**

Riley Young of Literberry made the city a visit yesterday.

Miss Margaret Trotter of the

north part of the county was a patron of city merchants yesterday.

H. E. Ogle of the north part of the county came to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fishback of St. Louis are visiting Mrs. Fishback's mother, Mrs. Mary Wood on Grove street.

A. L. Hunter and wife were city arrivals from Hillsboro yesterday.

**Men's bath robes and lounging robes in new designs are shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.**

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones were up to the city from Waverly yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spencer of Palmyra were among the holiday shoppers in town yesterday.

Misses Minnie and Effie Duncan came up to the city from Girard yesterday.

**Bracelet Watches—the good kind**

**SCHRAM & BUHRMAN**

Miss Frances Huntington was a city visitor from Ashland yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Coons of the vicinity of Antioch made a trip to the city yesterday.

Edward H. Alexander is home from the military school at Mexico, Mo., to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Alexander of this city.

**For Christmas dinner try our Raisin Loaf full of big juicy California raisins.**

**FEDERAL BAKERY**

**231 W. State St.**

George Swanson of Markham has gone to Kansas City for a holiday visit.

A. B. Chapman and wife of the northwest part of the county were city callers yesterday.

**Solid Gold, Gold Filled and Sterling Pencils**

**SCHRAM & BUHRMAN**

Ernt Hubbs was down to the city from Porentice yesterday.

Oscar Pevy was down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

George Ward of Sinclair made a trip to the city yesterday.

Howard McFadden of Grace Chapel vicinity was a traveler to the city yesterday.

**Knoles has pleased very many and can please you with a gentleman's Xmas gift.**

Guy McFadden and wife of the northwest part of the county, called in the city yesterday.

Henry Lukeman made a trip to the city yesterday.

J. H. Petefish of Virginia made a trip to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ernest Sanders of Concord was a holiday shopper in the city yesterday.

William McCullough of Winchester was one of the city callers yesterday.

**"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"**

**Jos. Heintz & Sons, Florists.**

J. B. Strawn was a traveler to Jacksonville yesterday from Franklin.

John Anderson of Springfield was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. H. Walsh of Jerseyville was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

**OMMITTED?**

**Anything omitted for the BIG DINNER? Remember DOUGLAS has it, from soup to dessert, and priced right.**

Julian Capps of Pittsburgh, Pa., is here for the holidays with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Capps of this city.

Clarence West of South Wood River was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

J. H. Anderson traveled from caller in the city yesterday.

Loren Taylor of Patterson was among the city's visitors yesterday.

U. L. Hennett of Carrollton was a traveler to the city yesterday.

**THE BIG IDEA today in candy is the Whitman's Sampler package. For sale only at MERRIGAN'S**

F. M. Weiss and wife of Springfield visited with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

L. P. Jones was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

J. L. Roberts of Waverly was a caller in the city yesterday.

Dean Roberts was a city arrival from Murrayville yesterday.

James Kenney, manager of the elevator at McCarty, called in the city yesterday.

**Roycroft Hammered Copper Goods**

**SCHRAM & BUHRMAN**

Henry Rindol of Quincy was one of the travelers to the city yesterday.

Oran Plinn of the vicinity of Sinclair was down to the city yesterday.

**For Christmas dinner try our Raisin Loaf full of big juicy California raisins.**

**FEDERAL BAKERY**

**231 W. State St.**

M. C. Weller of Literberry was a caller on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Woods and children journeyed from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Helen Yeck of Concord was one of the city callers yesterday.

G. W. Mawson of Hillview made a trip to the city yesterday.

**Ladies' can buy the neck wear that gentlemen are pleased to wear from the assortment shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store. Open evenings.**

Lloyd Moseley of Pisgah precinct called in the city yesterday.

J. E. Grey and family arrived in town from Franklin yesterday.

Nick Carter of Tallula was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Glen Melver of Roodhouse was a city caller yesterday.

**"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"**

**Jos. Heintz & Sons, Florists.**

Fred G. Tholen of Rural No. 6 made the city a visit yesterday.

Mrs. George Brockhouse and daughter were up to the city from Chain yesterday.

E. G. McFadden and family of the vicinity of Grace Chapel were city arrivals yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed O. Green of the east part of the county called in the city yesterday.

**DANCE TONIGHT**

**Woodmen hall. Both round and square dances. Everybody cordially invited.**

**GOOD MUSIC**

T. B. Smith was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cain of Carrollton are visiting Mrs. Cain's mother, Mrs. Margaret Lonergan on South Main street.

I. E. Scott of Springfield, formerly connected with the Journal office, spent a part of yesterday in the city.

Mrs. G. A. Hobbs of Murrayville was a visitor in town yesterday.

## DURING THE PAST YEAR

You earned considerable money—but only that part of it which you SAVED any good now. Many of you saved last year and have that Savings in Bonds. Some of you also carried Christmas Savings Clubs in addition.

Why not continue the savings habit of the past year by carrying several Christmas Savings Clubs with us, now that you do not have any payments to meet on Liberty Bonds? We are now ready to pay all 1919 depositors of our Christmas Savings Club. This is the close of our Third Christmas Savings year — we have each year in strength and scope and we expect to have the largest enrollment for our 1920 Club. We invite you to join for 1920, and thank those of you who have been members the past year.

## Just Think!

1c a week Club pays... \$ 12.75—Plus 3% Interest  
2c a week Club pays... \$ 25.50—Plus 3% Interest  
5c a week Club pays... \$ 63.75—Plus 3% Interest  
10c a week Club pays... \$127.50—Plus 3% Interest  
50c a week Club pays... \$ 25.00—Plus 3% Interest  
\$1.00 a week Club pays... \$ 50.00—Plus 3% Interest  
\$2.00 a week Club pays... \$100.00—Plus 3% Interest

**F. G. FARRELL & CO. Bankers**

"The Bank That Service Built!"

C. W. Landen of New Berlin traveled to Jacksonville yesterday.

## OMMITTED?

**Anything omitted for the BIG DINNER? Remember DOUGLAS has it, from soup to dessert, and priced right.**

E. W. Foster of the east part of the county traveled to Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Johnson expect to enjoy Christmas with St. Louis relatives and friends.

Joseph Rapp of Chandlerville was called to the city by business yesterday.

Abe McCullough of Winchester was one of the city's guests yesterday.

## VICTOR

**VICTROLAS**

The original and genuine, which give their owners the world's best and brightest music. Shall we deliver yours today?

**J. BART JOHNSON CO.**

**"Everything Musical"**

**49 South Side Square**

James Naulty of Cass county made a trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

William Wade of the south part of the county was one of the city's arrivals yesterday.

Oliver Dickinson of Chapin was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Milton Williams of Virginia was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

**There was a good merchant on Sandy,**

**Whose goods were better than candy—**

**He said he'd be wrathful,**

**If didn't arrive Pathe,**

**When, IN came that car load**

**Jim Dandy—**

**WE NEVER DISAPPOINT**

**Stanley Wright, Mgr.**

**PEOPLE'S**

**FURNITURE CO.**

**209 S. Sandy St.**

## Wolke &amp; Robinson

**Expert Car and Tractor Repairing**

No matter what kind of car or tractor you have what seems to be the trouble, if it can be fixed we can fix it at a moderate price. When in need of greases or Ford parts give us a call. We have a complete line of accessories.

**WOLKE & ROBINSON**

On Main Road, Jacksonville to Ashland

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An Illinois Life Policy is

the best Christmas present

you can give him or her

**Kopper Insurance Agency**

East State Street and the Square

Illinois Phone 1575

Bell Phone 58

## WANTED

1000 tons country mixed iron, 75c a hundred, free of sheet scrap, ranges and boilers.

Books and Magazines, \$1.25 per hundred.

Mixed paper in bales, 60c a hundred.

Newspapers, 60c a hundred.

See us before selling elsewhere.

**Jacob Cohen & Son**

JACKSONVILLE, ILL.  
Bell Phone 215 Illinois Phone 355

What Will You Select for a Christmas Gift?

A Diamond, a Watch, a string of Pearls, a

Toilet Set or a choice piece of Cut Glass, whichever it may be, you will find the best stock at the LOWEST PRICES at

**Russell & Thompson's**

JOIN NOW

**The Farmers State Bank & Trust Co.**

**Weekly Saving Club**

FOR YOUR

**1920 Christmas Fund**

Weekly payments of from 10 cents to \$5.00, and 1, 2, 5 and 10 cent ascending and descending payments.

**You Can Start Anytime**

**Come to this bank NOW**

Join our club for next Christmas, and get your Christmas money in time to shop early. A sure way to have a real, Merry Christmas.



**YOU GROW IT! WE MILL IT! YOU EAT IT!**

**THE "CAINSON" FLOUR GUARANTEE**

We guarantee the quality not only good, but enough better than other flours to be immediately noticeable—that you can make bread from it, that in purity, whiteness, rich flavor, fine even texture and general goodness is better than the bread you can make from any other flour.

Backing this guarantee every dealer has authority to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied "Cainson" customer.

**"CAINSON FLOUR"**

REG.—U.S.—PATENT OFFICE

**Try This, Our Offer**

Try a sack of "Cainson" Flour and make as many bakings as you wish. If you are not satisfied that it is better than any other flour you ever used return the sack and get your money back. Your dealer will refund it without argument.

**J. H. CAIN & SONS**  
JACKSONVILLE  
ILLINOIS



**MASTER STORAGE BATTERY**

6 Volt \$25.00 — 12 Volt \$36.00

Guaranteed 18 Months in Writing

A battery in poor shape, these long cold winters it will be sure to freeze. If it is a new one come in and let us show you a battery that is the strongest plates made. Batteries that are not to be defective in any way. Come in and get a test under a strict guarantee. Overhauling, repair or charging you need we work at a reasonable price by an experienced man.

**H. Ransom, 210-112 E. Court St**  
Distributor for Morgan and Scott Counties

**SMALLPOX FEES ARE ADJUSTED**

County Authorities and White Hall Physicians Reach Amicable Agreement—Hospital Talked for White Hall—Other News of Interest.

White Hall, Dec. 23. — The differences between the public and the local physicians growing out of the recent smallpox epidemic have been adjusted in a way that assures the services of the local doctors in cases that are a charge upon the public or county. The trouble grew out of a charge of five dollars for each visit, and the county board of supervisors refused to pay it. The county authorities investigated and offered a compromise, whereupon the local doctors went on "strike" against responding to any call from Supervisor Rhodes. State's Attorney John C. Bowman took a hand in the case, and in

response to a state health representative that the action in reducing the doctor bills would result in holding up the quarantine. Bowman retorted that there is no action looking to holding up quarantine regulations other than to release the people from highway robbery on part of White Hall doctors. A deal was made with Dr. H. W. Smith of Roodhouse, to look after the public charges here at the rate authorized by the county.

The schools will dismiss on Wednesday for the remainder of the week. The holiday vacation is cut short on account of loss of time earlier in the term. The churches have arranged some splendid Christmas exercises for Wednesday evening.

**Talk of Hospital.**  
The women of White Hall are taking a live interest in a hospital and training school for nurses at White Hall. This is an old proposition, but it has never been brought to local attention with such force as at the present time. The subject was presented last week by Dr. H. A. Ignatius at a joint meeting of women's clubs held in the chapel of the Presbyterian church. Dr. Ignatius is thoroughly conversant with hospital affairs in general, and what he had to tell the women is a revelation that has stirred the women to the point of bringing about an organized effort in the direction of a realization of a long dream. There is not a public hospital in Greene county, and when the facilities of the two railroads are considered, the Burlington has no hospital nearer than Jacksonville down on their Centralia division, while the same is true of the C. & A., and the later road has important terminal requirements at Roodhouse that do not have hospital accommodations. Rev. W. H. Cooper, at one time pastor of the Presbyterian church, was a great hospital advocate during all the years he was located at White Hall, and the general advantages enumerated above have been recounted by Dr. A. E. Meisenbach, now one of the leading surgeons of St. Louis. Dr. Ignatius states that he is accessible for any information or advice along this line while he remains in White Hall, and adds that from a local standpoint alone the hospital proposition is a splendid one. No doubt the managements of our factories and the railroads would take an interest in it.

W. E. Sullivan, resident of the Eli Bridge Company, was down from Jacksonville the first of the week to induce R. B. Pearce to become identified with the department of publicity of this new Jacksonville enterprise. J. C. Proffitt is recovering very nicely from the operation he underwent at St. Louis last week, and expects to again be on duty in a couple of weeks as linotype operator in the Register-Republican office. Jack Coker, one of the new residents and property owners of White Hall, has purchased a site east of Whiteside Park for the erection of a new garage. It will be the seventh garage in White Hall, and will be the biggest of them all, covering about 90 by 100 feet, with ample yard room at the front.

The receipt of Christmas trees in large numbers for the holiday trade brings up the fact that Norville Hicks has raised a number of Norway spruce trees on his farm, west of White Hall, and he has in mind the planting of a couple of acres to such trees as an experiment to determine their value in meeting the Christmas demand.

**Cordova Leather SCHRAM & BUHRMAN**  
CENTENARY WON FROM GRACE CHURCH  
Centenary church won from Grace church at basketball in Y gymnasium Tuesday evening by a score of 26 to 13. The game was fast and but few fouls were called. The members of both teams played good ball but the work of Bennett and Nunes featured for Centenary and Hopper and Bray did the best work for Grace. Harrison's guarding kept the Grace forwards away from the basket. The teams lined up as follows:

Centenary — Harrison and Nunes, forwards; Patterson, center; Bennett and Hoagland, guards.  
Grace — Bray and Reid, forwards; Hoover, center; Dawson, Smith and Hopper, guards.

**DIED IN TEXAS**  
News has been received recently of the death of John W. Hamilton at Leander, Tex. Mrs. Hamilton before her marriage was Miss Anna Lane, daughter of Mrs. E. A. Lane of Rigdon and a sister of Benjamin F. Lane of this city. Mr. Hamilton's death was the result of an attack of the flu.

**MONOGRAM BELTS**  
**BASSETT'S Jewelry Store.**  
**SIGNET RINGS**  
**BASSETT'S Jewelry Store.**

**PROBATE COURT**  
In the estate of George Tendick, letters of administration were ordered to issue to Frank Tendick, and bond fixed in the sum of \$500.

In the estate of Henry Kitter, the sale of real estate was approved.

**TO IMPLEMENT DEALERS**  
The Mississippi Valley Implement Dealers Association convention will be held in St. Louis Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 20, 21 and 22. P. W. Fox has received an invitation and expects to attend the convention.

Miss Nellie Epler has arrived in the city from Asheville, North Carolina and is at her home on West State street.

**FOUND**—Woman's tan kid glove. Owner can have same at this office by paying for advertisement.

**LOCAL HOSPITALS RECIPIENTS OF GIFTS**

Secretary of Waverly Women's Council National Defense Make Contributions to Passavant and Our Savior's Hospitals.

Tuesday the managements of Passavant and Our Savior's hospitals were greatly surprised and also gratified to receive from Miss Edith Phillips, secretary of Long Point Unit Waverly Women's Council of National Defense, checks for \$89.97.

The letter stated that the unit had a surplus left in the treasury from war work and decided that the local hospitals were most worthy charities and the balance was divided equally between them. The members of the unit are: Mrs. Martin Moore, Mrs. T. J. Seaver, Miss Maude Phillips, Miss Dorothy Lukeman, Mrs. Nina Bland, Mrs. John Gray, Mrs. J. A. Strawn, Mrs. Wesley Bland, Mrs. John Wynn, Mrs. L. L. Sears, Mrs. J. L. Hills, Mrs. Joseph Bergschneider, Mrs. Arthur Van Winkle, Mrs. Albert Hamilton, Mrs. Frank Ryan, Mrs. Otis Van Winkle, Mrs. Herbert Watson, Mrs. William Ryan.

**Cordova Leather SCHRAM & BUHRMAN****RELATIVE DIED IN IN BLOOMINGTON**

Grandmother of Harvey Wells Passed Away—Other Manchester News Notes.

Manchester, Dec. 22. — Miss Florence Collins is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Heaton during the holidays.

Harry Wells was called to Bloomington by the death of his grandmother, Ray Lakin was called home from Jacksonville to relieve Mr. Wells as second truck operator.

The quarantine for small pox was lifted from the home of F. C. Lakin Thursday and Bida Greenwalt Sunday.

Rev. Peek accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Smith, Mrs. Stephen Cooper and Wilma Walker shopped in Jacksonville Friday.

Clyde Chapman of Murrayville spent Sunday with his sister and family, Mrs. Walter Runber.

Tessa Cockran of Jacksonville came thru Saturday evening enroute to her cousin, Mrs. eGorge Ryan, where she will spend her Christmas vacation.

Dr. Brophy of Springfield was here Saturday and until this morning, investigating the small pox situation, but everything is for the better and we hope soon to have our Sunday school and church with small pox stamped out.

Freda Downs of Roodhouse visited her grandmother, Mrs. Susan Edwards Sunday.

Hughie Edwards has been quite sick at his home in the north part of town, but is some better.

**YATESVILLE**

Mrs. Henry Means spent Tuesday with Mrs. Marion Means.

Mrs. Henry Yancy and daughter Edith spent Thursday with Mrs. Henry Means.

Mrs. John Henderson and children were Jacksonville shoppers Wednesday.

Miss Marie Cashin spent from Tuesday until Sunday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Katherine McGrath of Murrayville.

Charles Edwards and daughters Freda and Louise were Jacksonville visitors Friday.

Miss Lillie Long of Ashland spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Charles Edwards.

Jacksonville callers from here Saturday were: Roy and Byron Stice, John Henderson, Ollie Moore, Roy Robinson, Steven Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and son Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Robinson, Mrs. Henry Means, Mike Cashin and family, Leona and Dorothy Stice and Howard and Harold Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Grady spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yancy of Ashland.

**ADMIRAL SIMS DECLINES TO ACCEPT D. S. M.**

(Continued from Page One.) which he declined the distinguished service medal conferred on him by the department pending a revision of the secretary's list of awards referred to Mr. Daniels' action in changing recommendations for decorations on officers who were under the admiral's immediate command in the war. "The injustice lies not in the number of awards made but in the fact that the awards as issued to officers in a number of instances are not in accord with the relative merit of services performed by them as indicated by my recommendations. Cases who were recommended for the highest awards appear on the list as having been accorded lower awards and vice versa."

Declaring that only the commanding officer actually present could best judge the relative merits of officers entitled to particular recognition that no board of award system could be fair and that officers in high administrative posts on shore occupied relatively more responsible positions than those serving at sea, Rear Admiral Sims asserted that of nineteen officers under his personal command, who he recommended for the distinguished service medal only six were accorded that honor, the remainder being awarded navy crosses. He cited the cases of nine rear-admirals under his command abroad, all recommended for the distinguished service, of whom but four received that honor.

**THE BIG IDEA today in candy is the Whitman's Sampler package. For sale only at MERRIGAN'S**

Miss Ruth Hillerby, a former resident who is now teaching in Eastern Ohio is here for a holiday visit with Miss Kennedy at her home on West Lafayette avenue.

**PARACHOL SCHOOL HAD CHRISTMAS TREE**

Program Was Given by Children — Presents Distributed from Tree by Santa Claus.

The pupils of the parochial school of the Church of Our Savior gathered in large numbers in Liberty hall to enjoy a feast and program prepared by the Ladies' Aid society. The huge Christmas tree with its gorgeous decorations was superb and laden too with hosts of gifts. The scene was truly inspiring and greatly enjoyed by every one. Santa Claus appeared in all his glory and sent thrills of happiness to the hearts of the children by the generous distribution of gifts.

The following program was rendered:

(a) See Amid the Winter's Snow; (b) Noel—4th to 8th Grades.

(a) Yesterday I met; (b) Angels from the Heavens—5th-8th Grades.

(a) What Lovely Infant; (b) Upon the Housetops.

Enter St. Nick.  
(c) Dear Santa, Now We Greet You; (d) Down the Chimney—1st to 3rd Grades.

O Christmas Tree — Whole School.

A social time followed, Father Formax mingling with the people and helping in the good cheer and while there was plenty of fun and frolic all was decorous and happy. There was a great many gifts and no one was forgotten.

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT WESTMINSTER**

Visit from Santa Claus After Audience Had Listened to Songs and Recitations.

Westminster Sunday school Christmas entertainments was given last night at the church with a large attendance. Following the Westminster custom, it was a giving Christmas and all who attended were expected to take some gift for Christmas distribution among the families of the city not in fortunate circumstances. In addition to this feature there was an excellent program given by members of the primary department and older classes. Afterward came a Christmas tree with a real Santa Claus and gifts for the children. The excellent program was arranged by Miss Louise Holmes, superintendent of the primary department.

Miss Hazel McCormick, assisted by members of Miss Moore's class, had charge of the decorations which were exceedingly effective.

W. J. Brady, the active superintendent of the Sunday school, again personified Santa Claus with success. His actions and statements both greatly interested the children. The program included the following numbers:

Carol—Orchestra.  
Recitation — Mary Margaret Brady.

Recitation—Mardell Killam.  
Song—Joy Rabjohns.

Recitation—Frank and Henry Dollear.  
Recitation—Alma Louise Sieber.

Recitation—Lorna Carpenter.  
Recitation—Jack Updegraff.

Song—Anna Louise and Betty Stevenson and Edith Rammekamp.

Recitation—Helen Ellis.  
Recitation—Junior Updegraff.

Recitation—Katherine and Noll Staff.  
Song—Ellen Davey.

Recitation—Joseph Cooper.  
Recitation—Thelma Ellis.

Greetings—Ruth Walton.  
Recitation—Ethel Rabjohns.

Recitation—Thelma Carpenter, and chorus.  
Son—Walter Rabjohns.  
Recitation—Helen Russell.  
Recitation—Hermine Robinson.  
Recitation—Clarence Massey.  
Recitation—Wilhelmina Updegraff.  
Song—Miss Moore's class.  
Recitation—Lucy Elizabeth Jones.  
In the last recitation the coming of Santa Claus was announced and a half hour's program of merriment resulted.

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the twenty fifth will soon be here and i have been a guessin if we'll have turkey christmas day with trimmings and the dressin, but now the way it looks to me as I gaze upon the scenes, insted of havin turkey, we'll have corn beef, hash, or beans. The cost of livin is so high these day of beer or strike its enough to make one wonder what the other world is like, so when time comes to cash our check insted of bein sad, don't you think we should feel lucky that we're leavin things so bad.

Yours truly,

Jack

**Elks Notice!****Santa Claus Special**

Regular meeting Wednesday Evening, December 24th

**Christmas Eve**

7:30 p. m. Christmas tree for the poor children, in the club room. Come and see them enjoy a real Christmas. They will expect Elks to be there.

**Regular Meeting**

8 p. m. Reorganization of 100 member class which will be initiated the following Tuesday, Dec. 30. All members are urged to be present to assist in concluding arrangements for the big work Dec. 30.

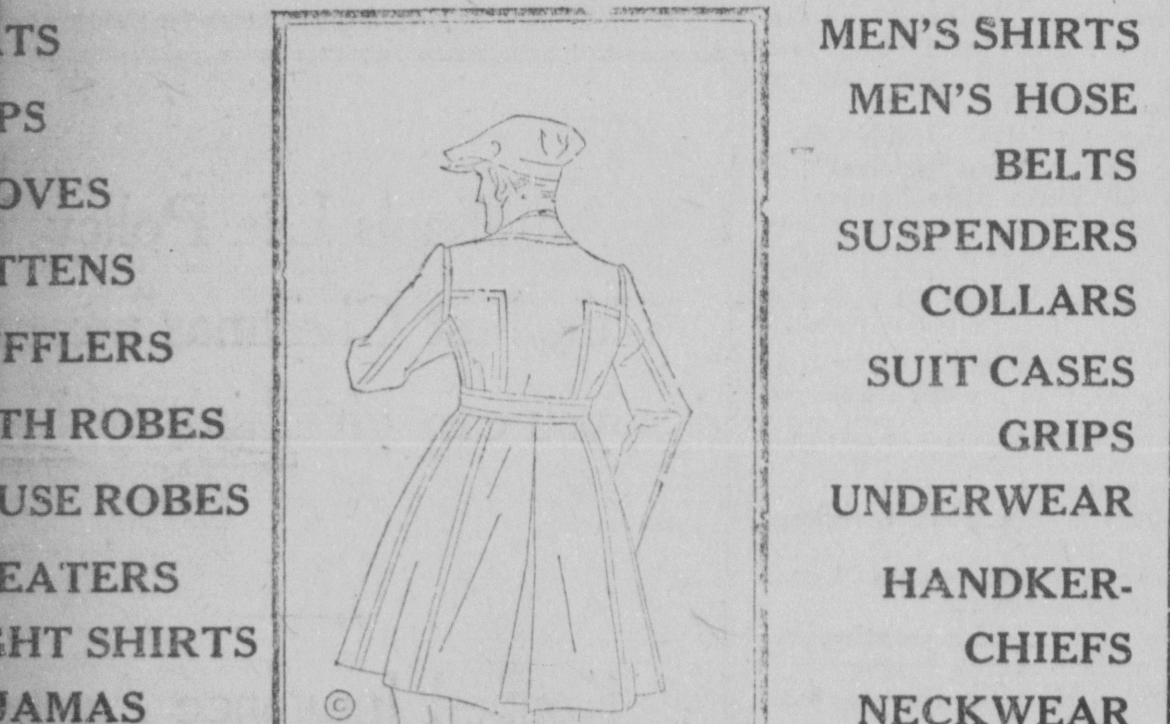
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**Early, While the Christmas Stocks Are Unbroken and You Can Find a Large Assortment.**

First thought in shopping is to find the appropriate thing select gifts befitting the tastes and interests of the recipient

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will find this store amply supplied with merchandise to for the needs of the most particular shopper and at prices consistent with good values.

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**BUY EARLY**—already we are waiting on hundreds who utilize the value of time and are doing their shopping early and thereby getting the benefit of our unbroken assortments high grade merchandise.

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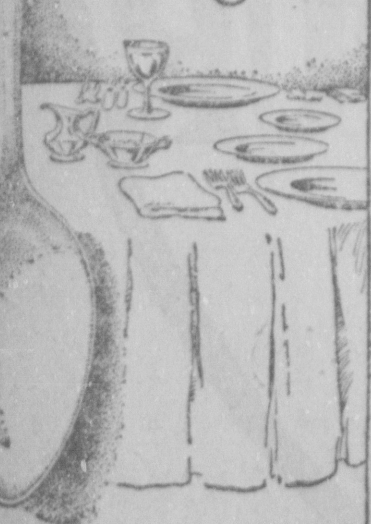
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Any gift for the home exemplifies the real Christmas spirit.

**Graham Hardware Co.**

3rd of Jacksonville Square



## CITY AND COUNTY

John Strang of Murrayville made a trip to the city yesterday. Silas Rentschler of Concord was a city arrival yesterday. Russell Miller of Murrayville was among the business visitors in the city yesterday. Miss Louise Myers of Chicago is spending the holidays with her parents in the city.

Gentlemen's neck wear, neat, rich designs, are shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store. Open evenings.

John Brown journeyed from Concord to the city yesterday. John Malcomsen of Bushnell was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Roycroft Hammered Copper Goods

SCHRAM & BUHRMAN

E. H. Langdon of Roodhouse was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Webb of Marvin were attending to busi-

ness matters in the city yesterday.

U. J. Sinclair of Ashland was down to the city yesterday. Miss Mary M. Cain of Jerseyville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

**OMMITTED?**  
Anything omitted for the BIG DINNER? Remember DOUGLAS has it, from soup to dessert, and priced right.

C. J. Sinclair was here from Ashland yesterday on business. Mrs. Belle Hines of Franklin was shopping in the city Tuesday.

**A NUMBER OF THE BEST families in the city have decided this year to buy only Whitman's, Apollo, Foss or Schraft Chocolates. For sale only at MERRIGAN'S**

E. E. Robinson was in from Prentice yesterday on business.

W. H. McKnight of Springfield was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

George W. Lee of Delhi was a Tuesday trader in the city.

J. W. Lynd of Springfield was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

**PAIGES COMING**

Have received following wire from Paige Co.: "Will make prompt shipment Larchmont and Linwood open and closed models, new series, this week." If you are considering a car why not take one of these? No better made today.

L. F. O'DONNELL.

L. V. Sloan of Manchester spent Tuesday in the city on business.

H. W. Hostettler of Olney was called to the city on business yesterday.

Frank Montgomery of Peoria was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

W. B. Denbard, Jr., of St. Louis spent Tuesday in the city on business.

**NOTICE**

Our service station will be closed at 11 a. m. Christmas day for the rest of the day. Get your supplies in advance.

C. N. PRIEST

THE FORD MAN

**WINCHESTER**

Winchester, Dec. 23.—Mrs. E. R. Brown left Tuesday afternoon for St. Louis where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Pattan.

Mrs. Wilford Hamilton returned Tuesday to her home in Roodhouse.

Dick Riggs arrived Tuesday from Colorado Springs to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Riggs during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coultas and daughter Miss Loretta expect to leave Wednesday for Moline to spend Christmas with their son, Wilbur Coultas and family.

Miss Leola Riggs arrived Tuesday morning from Oklahoma to enjoy the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Riggs.

Mrs. J. C. Grout was a visitor in Jacksonville today.

M. W. Sappington was able to be out yesterday after having been confined to his home for several days by illness.

Mrs. James Wainwright arrived Tuesday noon from Alton to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wallace.

James and Gordon Day, who have both been confined to their home the past ten days with the mumps are improving.

**A limited assortment of ladies' fine furs are shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store. Opening evenings.**

**CHRISTMAS CANTATA**

A Christmas Cantata will be given at Lynville Christian church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Santa Claus and his auto sleigh will be on hand. Everybody welcome.

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Blankets

Auto Cases

Do your shopping now at

**HARNEY'S**

215 West Morgan St.

**BRACELET WATCHES**

BASSETT'S Jewelry Store.

## ENTERTAINMENT AT MORTON SCHOOL TODAY

Pupils Will Carry Out Program at School House East of Jacksonville This Afternoon.

The pupils of Morton school, east of Jacksonville, will give their Christmas entertainment this afternoon at the school house. Miss Elizabeth Connolly is the teacher and a fine program and entertainment has been prepared. The building has been artistically decorated for the occasion and all of the parents and friends of the institution are invited to attend. The following program will be carried out:

Songs, "December" and "Christmas"—School.

Recitation, "Welcome"—Winona Rawlings.

Recitation, "Visit of Santa Claus"—Webster Story.

Instrumental solo—Mary Elizabeth Phillips.

Recitation, "The Best Day"—Paul Moellar.

Recitation, "Christmas Greetings"—Mildred Adams.

Solo, "Bethlehem Babe"—Evelyn Beckins.

Recitation, "The Christmas Doll"—Lucille Trent.

Recitation, "When Santa Comes"—Willie Hayes.

Violin solo—Wendell Rawlings.

Recitation, "A Riddle"—Littleton Adams.

Recitation, "I Want All I Want"—Seventh Grade.

Songs, "Up on the House Top" and "To Have a Happy Day"—Primary Class.

Display of Mechanical Toys: Show Man—Frances Kelly.

Jack-in-the-Box—Wilbur Kelly.

Dutch Cleanser—Mary Phillips.

Tin Soldier—Edward Maddox.

Paris Doll—Nadine Perkins.

Athletes—Harold Black and Donald Coker.

Scrub Woman—Littleton Adams.

Clown—Russell Kelly.

Teddy Bear—Wendell Rawlings.

Instrumental solo—Audrey Moy.

Recitation, "Suggestions for Santa Claus"—Mary Isabel Smith.

Recitation, "The Spelling Season"—Wilbur Kelly.

Solo, "Blowing Bubbles"—Harold Black.

Recitation, "How Santa Came Down the Chimney"—Nadine Perkins.

Recitation, "Santa Claus Land"—Wendell Rawlings.

Slumber Song With Doll—Winona Rawlings.

Dialogue, "The Strike in Santa Claus Land"—School.

Solo, "Till We Meet Again"—Francis Kelly.

Recitation, "Santa Claus and the Mouse"—Donald Coker.

Recitation, "How We Spent Christmas"—Mary Phillips.

Solo, "Holy Night"—Anna Dowling.

Recitation, "Old Santa Claus"—Marlin Coker.

Recitation, "Good Night"—Winona Rawlings.

Flower Drill—Eight Girls.

Burlesque Flower Drill—Eight Boys.

Song, "Sleigh Bells in Santa Claus Land"—School.

Vocal Solo—Miss Adelaide Ross.

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**PROGRAM GIVEN BY TRINITY CHILDREN**

Program Given in Parish House in Charge of Dr. Ames—Music Supervised by Mrs. Andrew Russell.

Trinity church Sunday school gave a Christmas program in the Parish house Tuesday evening. It was a great event in the school's history and the program was enjoyed by a large number.

Dr. J. G. Ames superintendent of the Sunday school was in charge and the music was under the supervision of Mrs. Andrew Russell. The decorations were beautiful.

The program:

O Little Town of Bethlehem.

Hark the Herald Angels Sing.

Carol, Carol, Christians.

It Came Upon a Midnight Clear.

Venite Adoremus Dominum.

Recitation—Carol Songs—Henry Jones English.

Song—Jolly Santa Claus—Elizabeth Capps.

The Christ Child—Robert Allen.

Original Piece—McClure Capps.

Recitation—Sing Christmas Bells—Malcolm Allen.

Recitations—Ada Galley and Pauline Galley.

Lester McCormick made an ideal Santa Claus adding greatly to the pleasure of the little folks.

Rev. and Mrs. Langton were untiring in their work for the event and their efforts aided greatly in its success.

Ladies will enjoy Fur Scarfs, Capes and Muffs from FRANK BYRNS Hat Store. Opening evenings.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH PROGRAM**

Children of Sunday School Appear in Program—Heard by Large Audience.

A large audience gathered in Congregational church Tuesday evening to hear the Christmas program presented by the children of the Sunday school. The program consisted of songs and recitations and a cantata. There also were a number of costume representations which greatly pleased.

**BRACELET WATCHES**

BASSETT'S Jewelry Store.

## Social Events

Mothers and Friends Held Meeting.

The Mothers and Friends Association held a special meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. C. Benson, 344 South Mauvaister street. Important business was transacted and Mrs. Benson who is president of the association was presented with a handsome gift. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Callender, 932 Mathers street, January 6.

**Orleans Country Club Met With Mrs. Clyde Cox.**

The Orleans Woman's Country Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Clyde Cox with a good attendance of members. In the absence of the secretary, Miss Davis Miss Ada Vasey served in that capacity.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Tindall and Mrs. William Arnold. Mrs. Tindall gave a biography of Kate Douglas Wiggin and Mrs. Arnold gave a review of the "Old Peabody Pew." An interesting feature of the afternoon was the annual grab bag. It was the meeting for the election of officers and the following were chosen:

President—Mrs. George Graff.

Vice President—Mrs. Charles Drury.

Secretary—Miss Ada Vasey.

Assistant Secretary—Mrs. Charles M. Strawn.

A social hour followed and the hostess served refreshments.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Ernest Walter, January 6.

**A large assortment of men's pajamas are shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store. Open evenings.**

## Funerals

**Fitzsimmons.**

Funeral services for Ball Fitzsimmons were held from Woodson Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning in charge of Dr. G. W. Miller, assisted by Dr. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church of this city, and the Rev. A. E. Powell, pastor of Woodson Presbyterian church.

Music was furnished by a male quartet composed of Dr. R. R. Jones, William Colton, Chester Colton and J. K. Cunningham.

Mrs. Harriet Smith and Mrs. R. R. Jones sang a duet.

The flowers were cared for by Miss Pearl Shelton, Miss Alma Mutch, Miss Hazel Ezard and Miss Mae Cade.

Burial was in Henry cemetery. The active bearers were: Frank Garland, Jerome Culp, James Priest, W. T. Craig, E. N. Adams, George Newman. The honorary bearers were: Dallas Crain, Edward Gallagher, Henry Shelton, J. F. Blimling, W. H. Kitner and Edward Cade.

**CHILDREN'S RINGS.**

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# Big Christmas Eve Dance

## Will be Held at K. C. Hall

### Wednesday Evening, Dec. 24th

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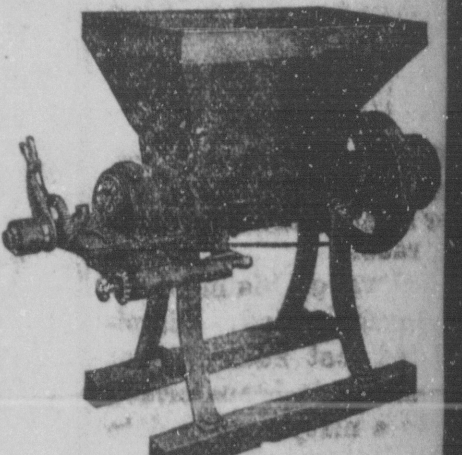
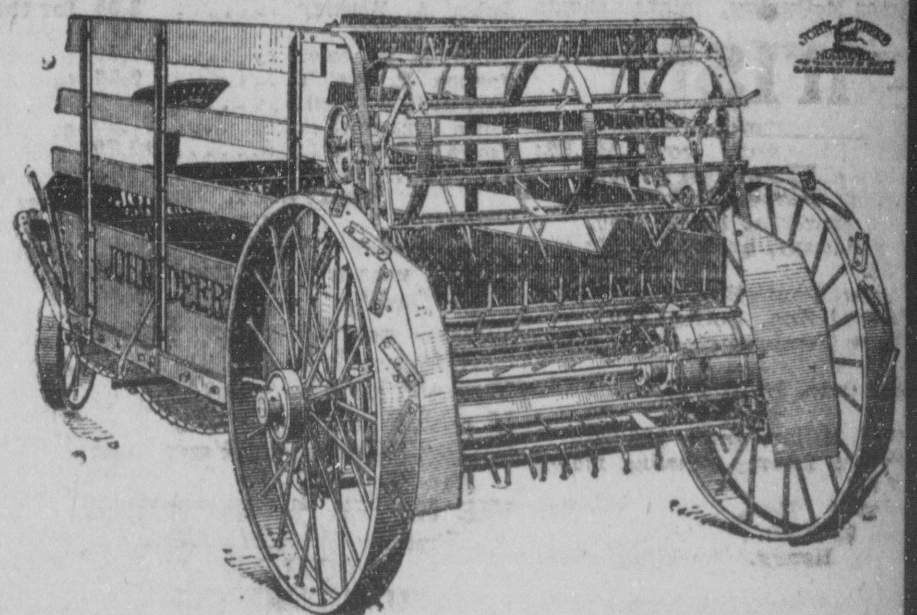
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Bike tires, \$1.75 up to \$4.00  
Bikes \$27.50 to \$45.00

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Do you want a farm, every foot good corn and wheat ground, or a good stock farm? We have them of different sizes, also some ranches. Do you want a home in town? We have lots of houses to select from.

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All the big money interests are getting ready for the big business that is sure to come. Why wait any longer to buy that farm? Come in and talk it over with us.

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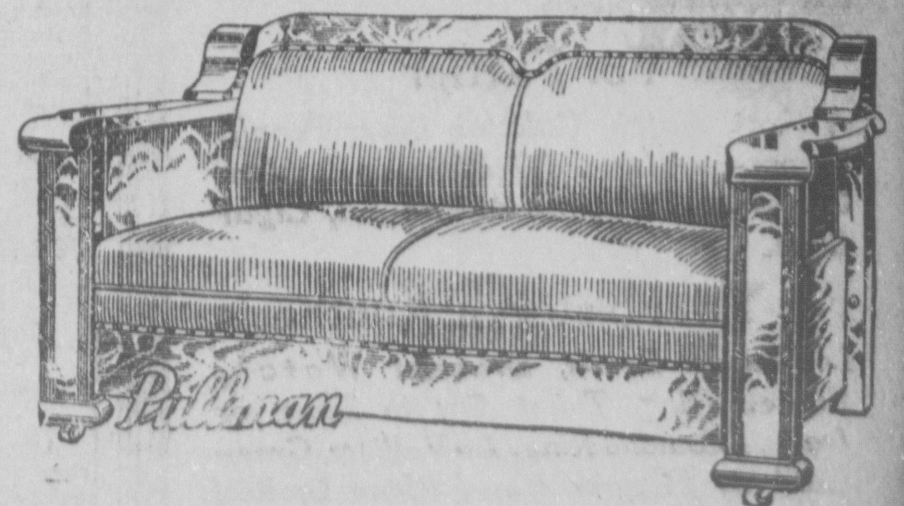
Let the Hoosier Cabinet cut Your Kitchen Work In two—

No more steps to pantry  
No more steps to cupboard  
Less steps to cellar

Come in and Look Them Over

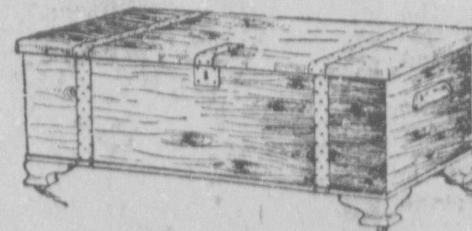
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We have several well known makes from which to select. Come in and see and hear them.



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## E. M'CURLEY SELLS OFF SURPLUS STOCK

Purchased Smaller Farm north of Woodson and Will move there in Spring—Sale totalled \$4,600—Satisfactory prices prevailed.

William McCurley held a sale of his farm south of Woodson today. Mr. McCurley expects to move in the spring to a farm north of Woodson. He will farm a smaller scale than in the past and the sale yesterday was a disposal of surplus stock. The proceeds of the sale totalled \$4,600 and all offerings brought satisfactory prices. J. L. Henry, C. J. Wright were the auctioneers and Thomas Doyle acted as clerk. The Ladies Aid of Woodson Christian church served the lunch. Some of the res and buyers are given hereafter:

**Hogs.**  
Harry Tarzwell, seven shoats, \$1.10 each.  
Everett Pennell, seven shoats, \$1.30 each.  
Amos McCurley, eight shoats, \$1.75 each.  
Less Dean, eight shoats \$17.40.

**Cattle.**  
George Clayton, cow \$114.  
John Loneragon, cow \$66.50; at \$65.50; one at \$46.50.  
Arthur Clayton, cow \$47.50.  
Otto Entriakin, heifer, \$60.  
Tex Ranson, heifer \$35.50; one \$32.

Everett Pennell, heifer, \$37.50.  
Edward Rea, heifer, \$50.  
Frank Hembrough, seven steers, \$1 each.  
Roy Calp, bull, \$47.

**Mules.**  
W. J. Miller, span, \$287.50.  
Charles Irlam, yearling mules, \$7.50.  
Edward Rea, pair yearling mules, \$167.50.  
Esse Henry, suckling mule, \$0.  
Roy Baldwin, suckling mule, \$50.

**Horses.**  
Roy Robinson, team horses, \$7.50.  
Frank McCurley, horse, \$60.

## Come, See the Magician

The Chautauqua Magician waves his hand over a hat—and out jumps a rabbit.

Carl waves his hand over your soiled, dilapidated last season's hat—and it is transformed into a nifty up-to-date lid. Bring your old hat to the magician.

## John Carl

The Hatter

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North Side Square

## Bassett Quality

## Xmas Gifts for All

### For Mother

A Cameo Brooch, a Lace Pin, Fulper Pottery, Mesh Purse, Clock, Gold Thimble, Gorham Silver.

### For Father

A Thin Watch, Gold or Silver Pencil, Cameo or Diamond Tie Pin, an Emblem Charm, Gold Collar Button Set, Cigar Clips.

### For Your Sister or Another's

LaTausca Pearls, Bracelet Watch, Cameo Ring, Toilet Set in Silver or Ivory, Diamond Ring, LaValliere, Green Gold or Filagree Ring, Photo Locket, Mesh Bag, Vanity Case.

### For Brothers and Others

A Thin Watch, Waldemar Chain, Emblem Ring, Cigarette Case, Military Brushes, Cuff Links, Gold Knife, Belt Buckle, Set or Signet Ring, Diamond Scarf Pin.

## BASSETTS

Sellers of Gem Diamonds

Amos McCurley, team horses, \$255.  
Joseph Helliwell, pair yearlings \$160.

M. J. Smith bought 600 bushels of corn at \$14.24 per bushel and 165 bushels at \$14.22 per bushel. Clover hay sold at \$1.22 per bale.

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## COURT FEES

Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 22, 1919. Following is the list of names to whom costs to the amount opposite each name is now in the hands of the treasurer of Morgan county subject to their call.

James Scott	\$ 1.40
Patsy Sheehan	4.00
O. H. Wright	9.90
Wm. Hodgkinson	8.70
Wm. Findley Brown	1.00
Gibson Balsley	5.00
John A. Barkley	2.05
H. H. Mester	.75
John A. Wheeler	5.30
James R. Sleight	2.50
Edward Chappell	3.30
John Traeger	.50
Jeane Edwards	12.70
George W. Brown	2.75
Grant Graft	
County Treasurer.	

There was a good merchant on Sandy, Whose goods were better than candy—

He said he'd be wrathful, If didn't arrive Pathe, When, IN came that car load Jim Dandy—

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GOOD NEWS

A car load of PATHE'S arrived Tuesday. See them on our floor today. We can make immediate delivery. PEOPLE'S FURNITURE CO 209 S. Sandy St.

## HOLIDAY AT THE POST OFFICE

Thursday, December the 25th will be observed at a Holiday at the Post Office.

There will be one complete delivery on both City and Rural routes.

The Parcel Post wagons will make a delivery also.

There will be a collection in the Business district at 6 p. m. The Office will be closed all day. Outgoing mail will be despatched as usual.

R. I. DUNLAP,  
Postmaster.

## BARBERS CLOSE

All union shops will be closed all day Christmas, but will be open until 10 p. m. Wednesday. We extend our best wishes to our patrons for a Happy Holiday Season.

Ray Harmon, Pres.  
Louis Leurig, Sec.

## CHRISTMAS CANTATA

A Christmas Cantata will be given at Lynnville Christian church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Santa Claus and his auto sleigh will be on hand. Everybody welcome.

## HARD ROADS INTEREST GROWS IN STATE

Ira E. Scott of State Highway Department Tells Something About Plans For 1920—Work of Past Year Reviewed.

Ira Scott of the state highway department of Illinois was a business visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. Scott has been for a number of years engaged in the work of the commission and is thoroughly posted on the progress of the hard roads movement in Illinois. He has recently been made assistant engineer of maintenance of way for the department. In talking about the highway department and the good roads movement, Mr. Scott said yesterday:

"We succeeded in spite of many difficulties and interruptions in placing under contract about 660 miles of road work. Practically all of this mileage is on what we call the federal aid system, about 150 miles of this number being state aid work, scattered about the various counties of various types. Practically all of our work for the past season was in the construction of what is known as the federal highway system. This system connects with the federal system in the adjoining states and constitutes the Lincoln highway from Chicago across the northern part of the state to Fulton and from Chicago north to the Wisconsin line; the Dixie highway from Chicago to Danville, from Chicago to East St. Louis, known as the Chicago-Springfield-East St. Louis road; running from Chicago to Joliet, Ottawa, LaSalle and along the river to Peoria and down through Springfield, Carlinville to East St. Louis; the national highway leading from East St. Louis, which is the old national road, to the Indiana line.

"Work on all of these highways has been placed under contract the past season and constitutes in the neighborhood of 600 miles. Contracts for a few sections of this work on the federal aid routes was for earth construction only, including of course all necessary drainage structures. Aside from this, practically the whole mileage is of 16 and 18 foot concrete. While we asked for bids on monolithic brick, concrete and bituminous concrete, practically all bids received were for concrete. Two sections, however, in Cook and Lake counties were awarded for bituminous concrete. Two sections were awarded as brick, leaving the balance of the system as concrete.

## Looking Into 1920.

"About 200 miles of this work is practically completed at the end of this season. The rest of it no doubt will be completed next season. For next season's work we are planning to place about 1,000 miles under contract. This will be on the \$60,000,000 bond issue routes and on the bond issue money. The work for the past season was paid for by federal, state and county funds alone, there being none of the \$60,000,000 used on this system. "Due to the lateness of the season when the first contracts were awarded, to labor troubles, to federal railroad rulings, to inability to get the necessary material on the road, we have not been able to complete as much roadway this year as we had expected, altho considering everything we have done very well. Contractors found it necessary to reassemble their equipment and to get it on the site of the work. All this took considerable time, especially when we have in mind that due to the last two years of war activity practically all the contractors' outfits were pretty much scattered and employed, if at all, in other lines of work.

## Auto License Fees.

"The work this year will serve the purpose of getting the organizations perfected necessary to carry on the real work of the construction of the bond issue roads for next and succeeding years. Next year considerable construction will be in the south end of the state, some in the central part and some in the northern part. No doubt some of this work will lead into or be adjacent to Morgan county.

"The automobile license fees collected this year will undoubtedly total more than \$4,000,000. The number of automobiles registered will be in the neighborhood of 500,000. All this money derived from the automobile license fees goes into the road fund and is used for road construction purposes only.

## YOUR PATHE HERE.

All Christmas orders filled. Car arrived Tuesday. YOURS is on our floor now. 209 S. Sandy St. PEOPLE'S FURNITURE CO.

## GREAT PICTURE COMING

TO RIALTO THEATRE  
Alice Joyce is supported by a cast of exceptional strength and balance in "The Lion and the Mouse" the Vitaphone superfeature, which will be seen in the Rialto Theatre on today and tomorrow. The players are: Conrad Nagel, Anders Randolph, T. W. Carlton, Mona Kingsley, Jane Jennings, W. H. Burton, Tompkins Saxe and Mary Carr.

"The Lion and the Mouse" is adapted from the famous stage success of the same name, written by the late Charles Klein, and was produced under the personal supervision of Albert E. Smith.

Our store will be closed all day Christmas. W. F. COOK, Grocer

## CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Centenary Sunday school Primary Department will have a Christmas party for the members of the Beginners and Primary classes this afternoon at three o'clock.

## SHERWIN DIVORCE CASE SETTLED

Hearing Begins on Action Brought by Mrs. Stevens for Separate Maintenance.

In the circuit court yesterday morning the jury was secured for hearing the divorce suit of Mrs. Lulu Sherwin against Louis T. Sherwin. After some of the evidence had been taken the parties to the suit compromised their troubles and by agreement a divorce was issued to Mrs. Sherwin on the ground of cruelty. The other charges made in the bill and cross bill were withdrawn. The suit of Mrs. Connie Stevens vs. her husband, Wesley Stevens, for separate maintenance is now on trial in the circuit court. The complainant is represented by W. N. Hairgrove and the defendant by Wilson & Butler. The defendant has filed a cross bill alleging improper conduct on the part of his wife.

## DON'T OVERLOOK OUR STORE TODAY

This is the last day to decide on a Christmas gift. Our fortunate early buying leaves us with many beautiful and useful things for presents. You should see these to appreciate their intrinsic worth. We can offer you some valuable suggestions. Don't forget that a good book makes a gift that outlasts all others. Parents, give your children wholesome reading. LANE'S BOOK STORE 225 West State St.

## CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT THE CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR

The services at the Church of Our Savior will be elaborate and impressive tomorrow. Street cars will start from both terminals at 4:30 Christmas morning the services will begin at 4:50 promptly. The Sanctuary choir will sing the Christmas carols and at 5 o'clock solemn mass will be celebrated. Rev. F. F. Formaz officiating priest assisted by Rev. Father E. J. Cahill and Rev. William Agnew. The sermon will be by Rev. William Angew. The choir will sing the Opig Mass in C minor. Mass will be celebrated at 7 o'clock. High Mass at 9:30 o'clock. Services in the afternoon as usual.

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## BROOKLYN TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Brooklyn church Sunday School will give an entertainment this evening beginning at 7 o'clock. A program of recitations, exercises and Christmas songs will be given. This will be followed by the usual Christmas treat.

## CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT SALEM LUTHERAN

Service for the Children Will be Given Christmas Night—Interesting Program Has Been Prepared.

A Christmas service for children has been arranged at Salem Lutheran church for Christmas night. An interesting program has been arranged and at the close, gifts will be distributed. The program follows:

Organ Prelude—Prof. Herbert Sells.

"The Wise Men From the East."—School.

Song: "Sing We Merry Christians"—School.

Opening Service—Responsive reading. Prayer.

Greeting—Arthur Middendorf, Catherine Stevens, Washington Hagen.

Song, "Lift Up Your Heads"—School.

Recitation, "Merry Christmas"—Emma Wahl, Verna Middendorf and Edward Wessler.

The Christmas Story.

Song, "White Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night"—School.

The Shepherds.

Recitation—Edward Roegge. Solo—Loretta Buescher.

Recitation—Theodore Schulz. Sarah Holt, Ernest Thies, Verna Buescher, Richard Ingram.

The Wise Men in Jerusalem. Duet, "The Wise Men"—Verna Middendorf, Mary Holt.

Violin solo—George Oberate. Song, "Saw You Never in the Twilight"—School.

Recitations—John W. German, Raymond Tholen, Edna Tholen, Ada White.

Song, "Brightest and Best"—School.

Recitations, "Why Do Children Sing"—Bertha Thies, Mabel Horner.

Choir, "Bethlehem."

Recitation, "Where Are You Going Children Dear?"—Mary Holt, Loren Lovel, Richard Willner, Harold Tomhave, Marie Lovel, Dorothy Hagen.

Song, "O Thou Who by a Star Didst Guide"—School.

The Wise Men to Bethlehem. Recitation, "The Shepherds"—Bernice Willner, Dorothy Willner, Helen Ehler, Elmer Roegge.

Song, "Silent Night"—School. Violin solo—Chester Domke.

Recitation, "Three Kings of Orient"—Delmer Domke, Harold Willner, Russel Fargo, Earl Tomhave, Carl Ehler, Darrel Ehler, Elwill Hagen.

Song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem"—School.

Recitation, "A Noble City"—Freda Willner, Elmer Middendorf, Bessie Harris, Edwin Gruber, Loretta Buescher.

Solo, "Away in the Manger"—Alwin Middendorf.

Song, "Come Hither Ye Children"—School.

Recitation, "Hallelujah"—Paul Moeller, Helen Moeller, Erma Ehler, Vivian Wiegand, Ruth Evans, Aileen Thies, Charlotte Brune, Eugene Heinz, Paul Will-

ner, Alvin Middendorf. Address, by the pastor. Song, "Angels from the Realms of Glory"—School. Collection for Orphan's Home. Solo, "The Glorious Song of Old"—Mrs. Robert L. Stice. Prayer, Benediction, Doxology. Distribution of Gifts.

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VISITING RELATIVES Mrs. Fred German and Mrs. Lee Smith and daughter of Chicago are visiting Mrs. German's parents Mr. and Mrs. James Smith during the holidays. Mr. German and Mr. Smith are expected to arrive Christmas morning to spend the day.

## NOTICE

Our service station will be closed at 11 a. m. Christmas day for the rest of the day. Get your supplies in advance C. N. PRIEST THE FORD MAN

## HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Walter S. Barber of Kansas is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Barber of North Prairie street, and other relatives.

## WE CLOSE ALL DAY XMAS

In order to enjoy properly the Xmas holiday and let our employees to do the same our restaurant on the north side of the square will be closed all day tomorrow and open Friday morning as usual. J. D. BENSON

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### UNIQUE KITCHEN RUSH GIVEN

Was Held at Home of Mrs. J. E. Underbrink—Event Proved one of Great Pleasure—Bride Was Baptist Church.

Literberry, Dec. 22.—Last week about fifty ladies of Literberry

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and vicinity received cards like this:

What? A Kitchen Rush.  
 Where? Mrs. J. E. Underbrink's.  
 When? Thursday afternoon.  
 The Bride? Better Come and See.

The Gift? Anything from a big spoon to a dish pan.

Time, 2 to 5 p. m.  
 The ladies all got busy and said one to another, who can be the bride? Some said the girl in North Literberry and some said the girl down southwest and some said the lady merchant. We could not decide.

We noticed the Baptist ladies all looked wise and said little. Well never mind, the bride will show up on Thursday afternoon. The ladies all got busy and aluminum, tin and granite were sold at a premium for a few days.

Brooms, crockery ware, potato mashers, etc., were in order too, and those who were slow in ordering kitchen utensils took the cash. A suitable Bible reading from Revelations 22-17 was the opening of the great rush.

"Guess who the bride is" came next. This was by ballot. When the ballots were counted it was found that some of the ballots bore the names of the Misses Georgia Litter, Mae Martin, and Olive Scribner. The Baptist church received twenty-five ballots and was declared to be the bride of the afternoon. The hostess gave a cordial welcome to all saying by way of explanation

that this manner of a social aid was given to try to arouse more interest in the members. She told us of the need of better work for the church in the coming year, of kindness, helpfulness and a looking forward to the needs of the church and Sunday school. The world needs women who can do something. Let us be a part of that company. The beautiful love story of Isaac and Rebecca was recited by Mrs. Earl Rexroat. A Bible contest was given, and a general sing of some of the old songs was next. Dainty refreshments were served at the proper time.

A vote of thanks was given to the hostess for the afternoon's entertainment for the unique way it was gotten up and the successful way it was all carried out.

A committee was appointed to carry the "Kitchen Rush Articles" down to the basement of the Baptist church.

Our Christmas presents are coming in early this year.

Mrs. John Daniels sent us some very fine sausage.

Mrs. Jesse Litter remembered us with 3 pounds of fresh sausage, and Mrs. W. W. Young sent a dish of splendid sausage.

Mrs. S. H. Crum sent us one pound of Jersey butter, sweet and fresh, for which we say to all, thank you.

Mrs. D. K. McCarty.

**A NUMBER OF THE BEST families in the city have decided this year to buy only Whitman's, Apollo, Foss or Schraft Chocolates. For sale only at MERRIGAN'S**

### BRIEF PARAGRAPHS FROM GRIGGSVILLE

News Notes of Interest From Griggsville and Vicinity.

Griggsville, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Arthur Butterfield, Mrs. A. Shoemaker and Miss Mary Gibbs spent Monday in Pittsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cheese-wright who were recently married in Los Angeles, Calif., will arrive here tomorrow to spend Xmas with his parents.

Miss Beulah Cadwell spent Monday in Quincy, shopping.

Mrs. Leona Murray spent Saturday and Sunday in Quincy with friends.

Mrs. John Hellar and children have returned from a visit in Beardstown with Mr. Hellar's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley and daughter Miss Hazel were visitors to Pittsfield Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sargent and children were week-end visitors in Chambersburg with her parents.

Winifred Anthony and Brooks Ellledge have gone to Mexico to spend the winter.

Miss Margaret Allen of Quincy is home to spend the holidays with her mother and brothers.

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**IN HIS NAME**  
 Kindly Work For Poor Children by West Side Art Club.

The West Side Art Club is a worthy organization among the colored ladies of the city, who meet for social improvement and the study of ennobling and uplifting subjects. The officers are:

President—Mrs. Ida Muse.  
 Secretary—Mrs. Clotella Taylor.

Chairman of Christmas Work—Mrs. Sallie McDaniels.

With a worthy desire to do something for the Master in addition to their study of art, the ladies consulted Mrs. Cobick and sought the colored children of the city who would be likely to have a very abundant Christmas and having secured the names of about fifty they began making preparations for an entertainment.

They secured funds among their own number and from friends and in G. U. O. F. hall they placed a Christmas tree well laden with gifts, candy, oranges and apples. Mrs. Stewart, a missionary, and Mrs. Cobick spoke. There the children were gathered for the time children alone can enjoy. Games and all sorts of jolly times were had and the gifts made every heart happy.

Miss Ira Mallory played the piano and Miss Glendora Hill had charge of the Victrola for the use of which the ladies thank John Easley.

All had a fine time and none were happier than the ladies who supplied the entertainment and managed the affair.

**For Christmas dinner try our Raisin Loaf, full of big juicy California Raisins. FEDERAL BAKERY 231 W. State St.**

Harry E. Perry of Springfield is visiting friends in the city over Christmas.

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F. R. Smith of Carrollton was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

**SPLENDID VALUES IN COATS, SUITS, FURS AND MILLINERY THIS WEEK AT HERMAN'S.**

### NEWS NOTES FROM MORGAN VICINITY

M. V. Hutches and Family Remove to Chapin—Topsy Turvy Entertainment a Success—Other Items of Interest.

George Coulson was a business visitor in St. Louis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Coulson and M. V. Hutches and daughter, Ruth were Jacksonville visitors last Wednesday.

The Topsy Turvy entertainment given by the teacher, Miss Davies and pupils of the Bethel school last Friday evening was enjoyed by a large crowd and was quite a success financially. Sandwiches and dill pickles were served.

Alfred Rahe was a recent visitor to Kansas City where he bought a car load of white face cattle.

M. V. Hutches and family moved last Thursday from their country home to Chapin where they will occupy the property known as the Woodward property east of town. Their many friends regretted very much to see them leave but their loss is Chapin's gain.

Paul Collins, who has made his home with his aunt, Mrs. George Coulson, since the death of his father last March went to

St. Louis where he enlisted in the U. S. Marines.

Dan Smith, Chester Williams and Mrs. J. W. Moody all delivered hogs at Chapin. Allen Christian of Merritt purchased the hogs and loaded the car at Chapin as it was more convenient.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and family and Walter Williams spent Sunday with home folks.

Chester Williams was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Funk spent Friday and Saturday here helping Funk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Hutches move to Chapin.

Messrs. Dan Omer, T. H. and John Taylor were callers last Sunday.

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Library Table, golden quartered oak, refinished, high grade piece in excellent condition . . . \$13.50

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We have one set of 12 Vols., Stoddard Library. This is a new work, well known, short sketch and part of the works of the world's noted authors. This a new set in its original case. Regular selling price is \$40.00. Came to us in trade. We offer for . . . \$18.00

Child's Roll Top Desk, large enough for a child of 17 like new at half new price . . . \$6.50

Ladies' Desk, flemish finish, like new, 1/2 price \$10.00

1 new heater, standard make No. 16, used 2 weeks regular price \$32.50 . . . \$20.00

Perkins Vacuum Sweeper, scarcely can be said to be used, guaranteed same as new, 1/2 new price \$5.00

6 hole cast range, porcelain trim, Quincy National make, in good order, 1/2 new price . . . \$25.00

Quartered oak China Closet, refinished . . . \$15.00

Quartered oak buffet, refinished . . . \$23.50

New wardrobe, regular size, less than whole price . . . \$14.50

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## A men's store for women

Every year we have the same old story about the wife who bought her husband a many colored tie for a present and then expected him to wear it and have a Merry Christmas. Evidently that woman didn't live in this community. It's been our experience that it's the women who make the best selections. That's one of the reasons we've turned this men's store into a store for women this Christmas.

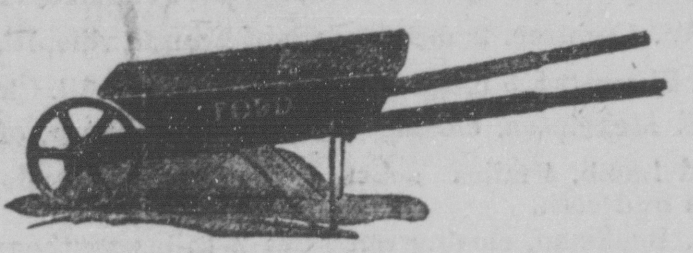
You can't make a mistake in your selection here as we haven't an article in the house that wouldn't make a man's Christmas merry.

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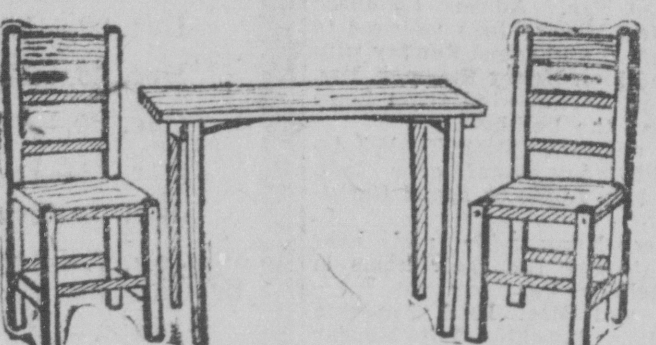
**We are showing a large assortment of desirable gifts. Don't fail to visit our store.**



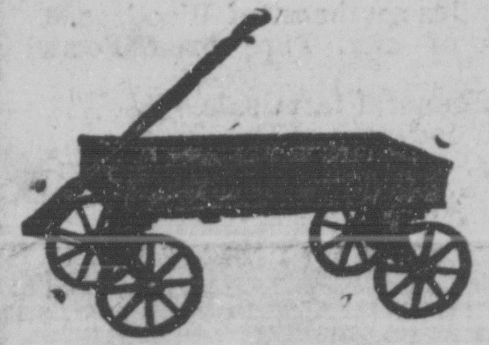
Just received a shipment of these dolls. This doll has genuine hair . . . . .99c



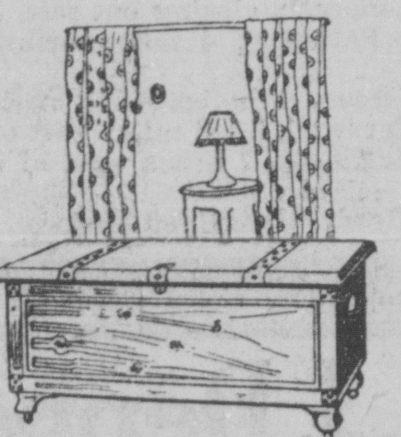
A wheelbarrow that will stand rough treatment . . . . . \$1.50



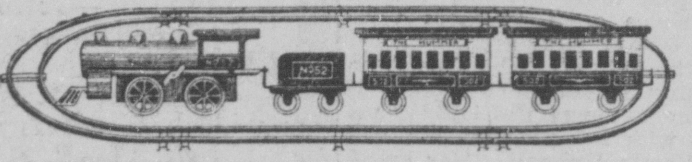
Child's set like cut, 2 chairs and a table . . . . . \$3.15



Three sizes of ball bearing coaster wagons to choose from. One like cut . . . . . \$8.00

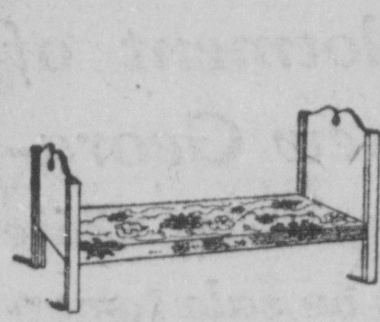


What is more desirable for her than a cedar chest. One similar to cut, copper bound \$13.50

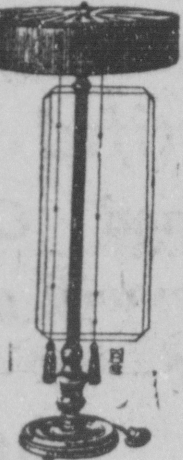


**A Mechanical Train**  
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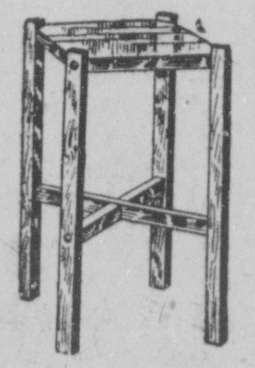
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21-inch doll bed like cut, white enamel finish . . . . .99c



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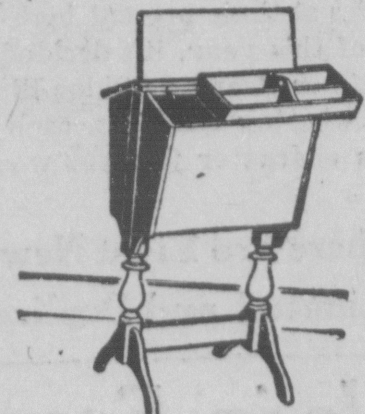
All oak taboret like cut . . . . .49c



Large metal doll cart like cut Black and brown finish, \$3.99



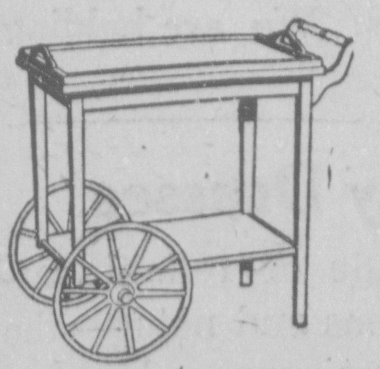
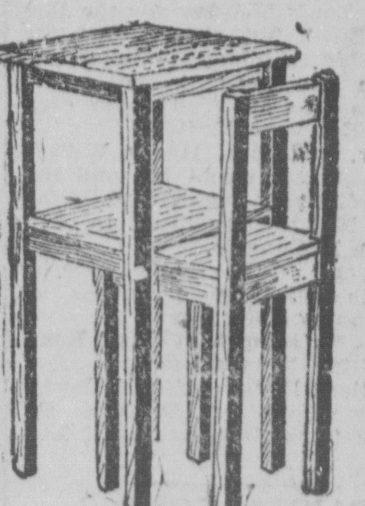
Large well built reed doll carriage similar to cut \$9.95



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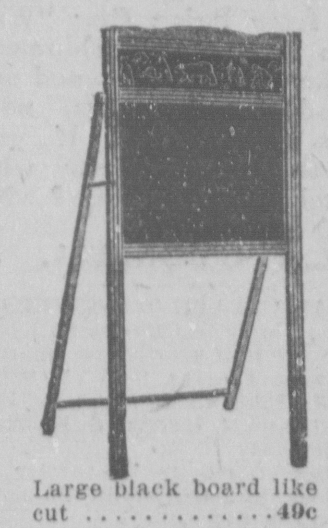
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## MEREDOSIA O. E. S. INSTALLS OFFICERS

Reception Held Following Installation Ceremony—Roy Lippert Home on Furlough—Other News Notes.

Meredosia, Dec. 22.—The local chapter of the O. E. S. installed the following officers Thursday night:

W. M.—Mrs. Lelia Brockhouse. A. M.—Mrs. Bertha Schmitt. W. P.—C. F. Jones. Conductress—Mrs. Maud Burnett. A. C.—Mrs. Louise Hillig. Secretary—Mrs. Emma Yost. Treasurer—Mrs. Tena Wegelhof.

Chaplain—Mrs. Sadie Bushnell. Marshal—Mrs. Mary Brockhouse.

Wardens—Mrs. Essie Konkright. Sentinel—Chas. Wegelhof.

Principals—Mrs. Nellie Waldo. A. D.—Mrs. Bertha Rice.

Ruth—Mrs. Laura Steplin. Esther—Mrs. Gracey Burdick.

Martha—Miss Leta Schaefer. Electa—Mrs. Catherine Hedrick.

Installing officer—Mrs. Emma Heffner.

Installing marshal—Mrs. Myrtle Lake.

At the close of the installing ceremonies a reception was held in honor of the outgoing Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

Merle Hodges, a student of the Bradley Polytechnic Institute at Peoria arrived home Monday to spend the Christmas vacation with home folks.

Miss Alma Simpson who has been making an extended visit in Missouri returned home Saturday.

Elmo Galaway of Brown's Business College, Jacksonville, is at home for the holidays.

Christmas will be observed here with elaborate programs in both the Methodist and Lutheran churches.

Marcellus Hagel of St. Sterling was a Sunday visitor here.

Roy Lippert, of the Army Hospital, located at Fort Sheridan, Chicago, is home on a thirty days' furlough.

Morris McLain who has been engaged in the fishing business at Dallas City, Ill., is home to spend Christmas with his family.

Mrs. Dahnman and son, Homer of Arenzville visited from Friday until Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Zahn.

Virgil Brooks and Albert Skinner spent Sunday in Versailles the guests of Mr. Brooks' parents.

Dr. Carl F. Yeck returned home from Jacksonville Monday.

Mrs. John Hall and son Fred motored down from Springfield Monday. Fred returned to Jacksonville the same day, but Mrs. Hall remained for a few days visit with Mrs. W. A. Schmitt and other friends.

H. E. Harms transacted business in Jacksonville Monday.

D. W. Martin spent Sunday in Bluffs.

Mrs. Chas. Summers and little son Jack were shoppers in Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Eleana Bollyard of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bollyard.

Among those who are at home for the holidays are Lawrence Roegge, Elmer Hoffmeister and Hugo Alhorn, students at Brown's Business College, Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boles and children Helen and Elizabeth of Quincy are the guests of Mrs. Boles' parents and other relatives.

Dr. G. M. Smith, wife and little daughter Frances, Mardelle of Pittsfield came Monday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Albert Roegge who has been attending Sweeney Auto School in Kansas City for the past three months arrived home Thursday of last week.

Edward Zahn and little daughter, Zelma, who have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Zahn and other relatives for the past week, returned to their home in Marshall, Mo., Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Leonhard and Mrs. Harry Moss motored to Springfield and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steamer. Mrs. Steamer accompanied them home to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Yeakel departed Monday morning for Flora, Ill. and St. Louis to spend Christmas.

Roscoe Nunn, wife and baby left Saturday for their home in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Apperson and little daughter left Monday for St. Louis to spend the winter.

Russell Skinner and sister, Miss Bernice, were Jacksonville shoppers Monday.

William Moss Jr. and Russell Brockhouse were business visitors in Quincy Monday.

Olivia Driscoll who has been attending school in St. Louis is at home to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Driscoll. Her grand mother, Mrs. Mary Brewer, accompanied her.

John Chance, son and daughter of Bluffs were the Sunday guests of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Hildebrand.

John Cody spent Monday in Jacksonville the guest of his brother Arthur and family.



is of the opinion that electrical gifts are real sensible offerings. Whether it is a reading lamp for father or a vacuum cleaner for mother it is a sensible expression of affection. And of course you won't forget the lights for the tree and that you can have a battery and a complete set of lights that will illuminate the festivities if your house isn't wired.

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A harmless and effective preparation to relieve the pains of Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lame Back and Lumbago is Hamlin's Wizard Oil. It penetrates quickly, drives out soreness, and limbers up stiff aching joints and muscles. You have no idea how useful it will be found in cases of every day ailment or mishap, when there is need of an immediate healing, antiseptic application, as in cases of sprains, bruises, cuts, burns, bites and stings.

Get it from druggists for 30 cents. If not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back.

Ever constipated or have sick headache? Just try Wizard Liver Whisk, pleasant little pink pills, 30 cents. Guaranteed—Adv.

## WHEN I WAS AND RUSSIAN

Advance, Ill.—"After a hard and long illness I was restored to a perfect healthy condition through Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which I took as a tonic. It proved to be such a splendid tonic that I have taken it many times since, whenever I have been nervous and run down and it has never failed to strengthen and build me up in health."

"I can also speak just as highly of the Golden Medical Discovery as a blood purifier and a medicine that is safe to use to little children. When one of my daughters was only a year old she had crooked legs all over her head. I gave her Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it headed up every blemish and her hair grew nice and thick. She has grown to womanhood and has never had any return of blood disorder of any sort since that time. I give the Discovery all the credit due it for this cure and take pleasure in recommending it."

—Mrs. Effie Lewis, care Mrs. P. M. Roberts, R. R. 1—Box 31.

Quincy, Ill.—"I am glad to tell you that Dr. Pierce's Anuric (for the kidneys) has done for me; it is a fine remedy. I have been a great sufferer with my back and up for years but Anuric did wonder and I have taken two small bottles and now tell everyone what a good medicine it is."

—Mrs. STELLA STECKEL 1532 Jefferson St.

All women who suffer from feminine disorders are invited to write the Faculty of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. for free confidential consultation and advice, no charge being made for the high professional service. This will enable every woman to benefit by the advice of the distinguished physicians.

## OUR CONSTANT AIM.

With each succeeding year is to have for you the best that is obtainable in our line, and to do that, requires a search of the entire country for a distinctive line of boxes and candy that is totally different from what you have seen before. Drop in and look at what we have to show you this year at MER-RIGAN'S.

## DURBIN

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gibson are visiting relatives in Flint, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hawker are visiting in Chicago and Barrington, Ind.

Hugh McDevitt, Roy Smith and Oscar Harmon took cars of hogs to St. Louis Monday for the Rees Live Stock Shipping Association.

Durbin Sunday school will give a Christmas program and have a tree on Wednesday evening. Everyone invited.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Willard, Loren Seymour and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Darley motored to Springfield Monday evening to hear Bishop McConnell.

College Grove and Durbin schools will have programs on Wednesday afternoon.

J. I. McCormick of Udall, Kans., is visiting friends here.

Willard Dodsworth and Dawson Darley visited in Delavan and Peoria from Saturday until Monday.

## PAIGES COMING

Have received following wire from Paige Co.: "Will make prompt shipment Larchmont and Linwood open and closed models, new series, this week." If you are considering a car why not take one of these? No better made today.

L. F. O'DONNELL.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS J. L. Thady to Charles Sullivan, part west half southwest quarter southwest quarter 2-13-11, \$200.

A. J. Rubie to C. H. Story, lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 Lorton & Kedzie's addition, \$1.

Arthur Seymour by master in chancery, to John Flynn, 25 acres in 32-14-9, \$13,506.25.

Jane Kee to Jane Kee, lots 1 and 2 Chambers' second addition, \$1.

Cigars in boxes of 25. Price \$1.67 to \$3.50 at the Armstrong Drug Stores, S. W. Corner Square and East State St.

Special Display of

# Gift Candy Boxes

See Our Windows

We believe we have for your selection, a line of the prettiest candy boxes ever shown in the city. And the candy we offer for your selection never was more varied nor finer.

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Illinois Phone

This Ad Appear in Franklin and Winchester Times. We can advertise your sale To 25,000 People in 48 Hours.

Dec. 20.—The partition sale of the John German estate at the court house at 2 o'clock. 210 acres of good farming land southwest of the city; also one lot in city.

Dec. 23.—W. E. McCurley, one and one half miles south of Woodson.

Dec. 26.—Mrs. Jas. Patterson, 5 miles northwest of Murrayville.

Dec. 30.—W. W. Crabtree, 2 miles south of Murrayville, Ill.

Dec. 31.—Evert Sheppard, 5 miles west of Murrayville, Ill. Closing out sale.

Jan. 6.—Eva E. Megginson, closing out sale, 1 miles east of Woodson.

Jan. 7.—Alfred Lamb, 4 miles south of Murrayville, closing out sale, good brood sows, horses and corn.

Jan. 14.—G. S. Beekman, closing out sale; 2 miles southeast of Pisgah; 30 head Chester White brood sows; Deering binder and Van Blune wheat drill as good as new, and other good stuff.

Jan. 15.—J. V. Breckon & Son, 7 miles southeast of Murrayville; horses, cattle, hogs, implements, corn and 600 bales of hay.

Jan. 20.—John Lonergan, closing out sale, 3 miles southeast of Woodson.

Jan. 21.—Austin Patterson, 4 miles northwest of city. Pure bred Poland Chinas.

Feb. 3.—D. B. Green, six miles north of city, general farm sale.

Feb. 5.—Harry Tarzwell, 2 1-2 miles east of Woodson.

Feb. 11.—R. S. McKinney, 7 miles west of city. Pure bred Poland China—Bred Sow sale.

Feb. 20.—Lester Reed. Pure Bred Durocs.

The Store for Dependable Hosiery

# C. J. Deppe & Co

"Known for Ready-to-Wear"

Nice Warm Blankets



A new allotment of beautiful new Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses will go on sale tomorrow at—

\$6.75

With the price of silk fabrics at their present high levels, fully 100% more than they were the early part of this year, it's decidedly unusual to get a good, worthwhile, dependable Georgette or Crepe de Chine Blouse at this modest price. In addition to their fitting and wearing qualities, each of these new models possess a charm, a distinction and a character that you would ordinarily associate only with more costly models.

There are Eight New Styles

The Quantity is Limited and Duplication will be Impossible

## Style in Every Line

# Coats

The conservative women, while realizing the importance of style does not interest herself in fads. We are holding your coat for you.

## Petticoats And Knickerbockers

—In Belding's guaranteed satins, Milonese silk Jerseys, Tafetas with floral designs — at popular prices.

## Party Dresses

They're made of reliable tafetas, chiffons and nets — the season's most approved materials—they glean beauty and exclusiveness—\$18.50, \$25, \$30 \$35.

# The Store for Silks and Dress Goods

# I Want Their Names

I Want the Name of Every Owner of a STUDEBAKER within a radius of Thirty Miles of Jacksonville

—no matter what model—whether it's the first one ever built, or the most recent I want your name and address. —I've got something mighty interesting for you, and it won't cost you a cent. —Send or telephone, your own or the name of any Studebaker owner you know of. Thank you.

# Chas. M. Strawn,

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Distributor for Studebaker Cars, Gramm-Bernstein Trucks and Case Tractors. Call on me either phone, at either town, Jacksonville office at Joy Bros. (Modern Garage) If I am not in ask for LeRoy Craig or Dick Wheeler.

# The New Home Sanitarium

Bulletin No. Six

Public Health Department

# Adenoids

Public Health Department

(Post Nasal Growth)

We Love the Children, Hence This Bulletin

Every child has a right to be well born. Every child has a right to begin the race of life with good health. The child in poor health begins life under the greatest handicap. Who could expect such a child to measure up with the child of good health?

Amongst the factors destroying the chances of the child comes ADENOIDS (Post Nasal Growth). Three out of every five children have ADENOIDS to some degree. Between six and twelve years they are the most destructive. All pharyngeal tonsils are note of this class—but when these growths become pathogenic—they produce such evidences as—dirty noses, snoring, mouth breathing and vocal defects, aural defects, night terrors, night cries and alarming "fits", coughs also common.

In adults—asthmatic attacks, plus intranasal troubles.

Children in such condition are subject to repeated attacks of laryngitis, bronchitis and pulmonary diseases. They suffer with gastro-intestinal catarrh.

Systemic evidences are seen in retarded growth, general lassitude, mental sluggishness (inability to concentrate the attention—thereby causing teachers much concern), disinclination to take part in games, sports, or study, in short—backward intellect, aprosopia.

Such children grow tired of school, many before entering the fifth or sixth grades. Four out of ten will go to high school. One out of ten will graduate.

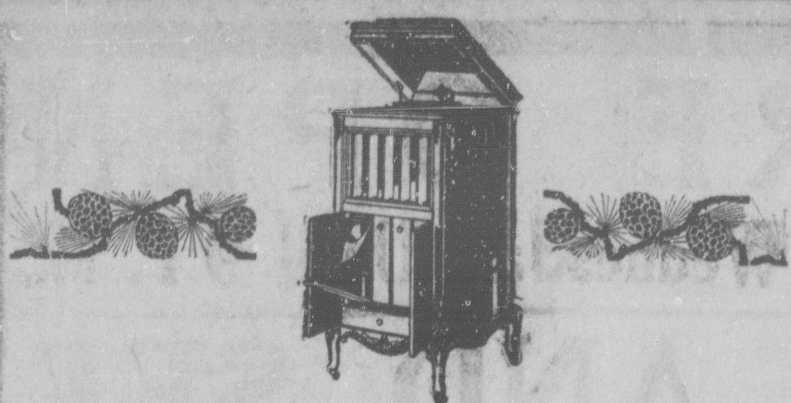
TREATMENT—Have you children examined and if adenoids are found—have them removed.

Here is wishing every child the Merriest Christmas and the Happiest New Year and the best of Health.

Watch for Bulletin Number Seven.

ALONZO H. KENNIEBREW, M. D., Surgeon in charge.





## Would You Buy

a piano and then agree to buy all your music from one publisher? That's exactly what you do when you buy a phonograph that is designed by the manufacturer to play only the records co-named with it, and no (makeshift) attachment can alter the fact.

### The Brunswick and Steger

phonographs are designed to play all makes of records and no extra attachment to buy.

### This is the Last Call

I am promised no more shipments from the factories until after the first of the year. If you are wanting a phonograph for Christmas you must buy soon as my stock is limited to what I have on hand now.

### Victor, Columbia and Pathe Records

## R. T. Cassell

Auto Supply Store  
No. 8 West Side Square

## Order

Put your order in now for that car—

## Cole 8 Velie or Dort

These cars are too well known to need much mention here. Call, phone, or write me.

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WOODSON, ILLINOIS  
Distributor of the Cole 8, Velie and Dort Cars and Diamond T Trucks and Fordson Tractors.

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A small investment in the Sierra-Detroit Oil Corporation of New Mexico, with holdings of 30,000 acres, may make you a fortune. Three wells drilling and two more being contracted for immediate drilling adjoining our property. Write for our geological reports. Reference Union Bank of LasCruces, N. Mex.

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## Don't Store Your Car

### Use a Temme Heater

Don't store your car this winter and lose the value of its commercial or personal use—not counting the loss on the interest of your investment, or the cost of storage which in three or four months will more than cover installing expense of a permanent asset to your car. Should you ever decide to dispose of your present car and get a new one, simply transfer your heater—its adjustable to fit all sizes of exhaust pipings—made for all motor cars.

No cost but the first cost, that's an asset.

Easily installed, without damaging your car. Nothing to get out of order—not parts to loosen.

A control regulating as much, or as little heat as weather conditions demand for driving comfort.

No liability of odor or gas leakage in the car.

Absolutely proof against fire or overheating. 384 sq. inches of fine radiation heat—surface and responds to heat quicker through its circulation.

Sanitary beyond question.

### Let Us Show You One

## Joy Bros Modern Garage

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## OMNIBUS

### WANTED

WANTED—To exchange new No. 9 Oliver for Corona. Address: C. care Journal. 12-23-31.

WANTED—Class for music lessons. 612 S. Clay. 12-23-31.

WANTED—Stove and furniture repairing; furniture refinished. Ill. Phone 1640. Bell 490. 740 E. North street. Louis Imboden. 12-24-31

WANTED—To buy platinum, old gold and silver, for cash. M. Duffy, 225 1/2 E. State Street. 11-12-31

WANTED—To dispose of \$3500. 7 per cent first mortgage about January first. Interest semi-annually. Well secured by Jacksonville real estate. "Mortgage" care paper. 12-24-31

### HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework in country, 3 in family. Mrs. George R. Deere, Franklin, Illinois phone. 12-21-31

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; good wages. Apply at once, 871 W. College Ave. 12-23-31.

WANTED—Young woman bookkeeper and typist; good salary with chance for advancement. Address 75, this office. 12-23-31.

WANTED—At once cook at Old People's Home. 12-18-31

WANTED—Chambermaid. Dunlap Hotel. 12-17-31.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in the country. Close to town. Call Ill. 50-1440. 12-14-31

WANTED—Two salesgirls. Address "Dry Goods," care Journal. State experience. 11-30-31.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, separate entrances. Apply 408 E. State Street. 11-16-31mo

FOR RENT OR SALE—Six room house in Third Ward. Illinois phone 59-412. 12-5-31

FOR RENT—Houses always. The Johnston Agency. 12-1-31

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; separate entrance. Also good garage. Apply 408 East State street. 12-21-31mo

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Unclaimed men's coats, ladies skirts, and children's clothing, at 213 N. Main street. 12-23-31.

FOR SALE—Living and dining room furniture. Call Ill. phone 1234. 12-18-31.

FOR SALE—One upright piano. at 340 West Court street. 12-18-31.

FOR SALE—Sow and 22 pigs; pigs weigh about 40 pounds; set single harness. Ill. 60.1014. 12-18-31.

FOR SALE—80 acres 1/4 mile from county seat town, 72 acres in cultivation, balance timber pasture. On state highway, two sets of improvements. Three wells, one windmill, all under woven wire fence. Adress Chas. Sayre Black, Stillwell, Okla. 12-9-131.

FOR SALE—920 acres, 12 miles from Stillwell, Okla. 135 acres in cultivation; 200 acres under rail fence; 250 acres more tillable. Three tenant houses, 1 pond, 1 spring, one well. This is a good stock ranch proposition. Address owner, Chas. Sayre Black, Stillwell, Okla. 12-9-131.

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, buggy, harness. Pure bred white Embden geese. Ill. Phone 50-825. 12-5-31

FOR SALE—Or trade, a small piece of land. Ill. phone 1334. 11-26-31

FOR SALE—Second hand 6 burner gas range. Passavant Hospital. 12-24-31

FOR SALE—2 ranges, Majestic and Crown, in first class condition. Call at 217 Brown street. 12-24-31

FOR SALE—Dressed hogs, corn fed. Call Illinois phone 60-642. 12-24-31

FOR SALE—Six foot golden oak round dining table; looks like new. 740 East North. 12-24-31

FOR SALE—German heater and good cook stove. 740 E. North. 12-2-31

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have some good farms and city property for sale or trade. What have you to offer? S. T. Erickson. 11-21-31

FOR SALE—Modern 7 room house and three lots, 702 E. State. Apply H. H. Doolin. 403 N. Main. 11-12-31

FOR SALE—Fresh pork and beef. Call us up and get our prices. You'll be surprised. Ill. Phone 1684. We give prompt delivery. 12-19-31

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Hundreds of pairs of ladies shoes, 25c to \$1.50 pair. Buy while they last. Dunn's. 207 E. Morgan St. 11-30-31

FOR SALE—Homemade sausage, lard and fresh meat. Ford automobile tires. 226 N. Main valetierre street. 12-19-31

FOR SALE—Light truck body suitable for Ford or small car, \$15. Call at Patrick's Garage. 12-18-31

FOR SALE—Stoll Auto Tents, for tourists. Massey's, West Court. 11-4-31

FOR SALE—420 acres, two miles of county seat, 250 acres in cultivation, balance pasture and orchard land. One ten room house, built in 1914, large barn. Three room house. Good roads. Telephone. Rural route. Loan company will loan \$17,000.00 on this place. Address Chas. Sayre Black, Stillwell, Okla. 12-9-13

FOR SALE—West Side property. All improved; close to car line. Address, E. D. care Journal. 12-13-31.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five passenger touring car in first class condition. Apply 123 East Morton avenue, or Illinois Phone 60-947. 11-16-31

FOR SALE—House of 7 rooms, cellar, electric lights, well cistern, barn, 2 good sized lots. Actual value \$2,000. but if sale can be completed before Christmas \$1250 will buy it. Call in person. Don't phone. The Johnston Agency. 12-14-31.

FOR SALE—Unclaimed clothes, ladies', men's and children, at 213 N. Main. 12-14-31.

FOR SALE—Irish and sweet potatoes, delivered. Ill. phone 86. 12-9-31.

FOR SALE—Modern 3 room house with bath, 213 N. church street. Call City Elevator. Ill. phone 8; Bell phone 176 or Bell phone 552. 11-15-31

FOR SALE—One combined heater and cooker stove, one coal heating stove, both nearly new. Address Stoves c/o Journal. 12-17-31

FOR SALE—108 acres, joins city limits of county seat, 106 acres in cultivation, all under woven wire fence. Spring and running water; two wells. Nine room house built 1913. Good barn 30x36. Will grow alfalfa, clover, corn, wheat and oats. This is an ideal stock or dairy farm. Address Chas. Sayre Black, Stillwell, Okla. 12-9-131.

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte roosters, L. P. Cowdin, Chapin. 12-20-31

FOR SALE—Road cart; butcher meat chopper; saw buck and hand saw. Parlor suit, hand carved, upholstered in tapestry. Oak and walnut bedstead. Framed pictures (2 Jacksonville. Two Antique chairs. Apply Sarah Baldwin, agent, 408 East State. 12-21-31

FOR SALE—Registered, Duroc boars; Toulouse geese; Barred Rock cockerels. Ill. Phone 5923. 12-21-31

FOR SALE—Second hand buggy, storm front. Call Illinois phone 6415. 12-21-31.

FOR SALE—A Chimney range in good condition, 846 Grove street. 12-21-31

FOR SALE—For cash, Chalmers automobile, 6 cylinder, 1915 model, in good repair. Call 703 W. College street. 12-21-31

FOR SALE—1918 model Ford touring car, excellent condition. Phones, Ill. 5523; Bell 962-11. 12-21-31

FOR SALE—Modern house and three lots East State street. Small house, barn and vacant lot in First Ward. Modern house on North Church street. Six-room house on South Clay Avenue. Five acres with improvements. West Michigan Avenue. Ill. Phone 536 for terms. 12-24-31

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### EUROPEAN DEMAND BOOSTS CORN MARKET

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Brisk European demand for wheat, rye and oats made the corn market today average higher. Trade, however, lacked volume. The close was weak at 1/2c not declining to 1/4c advance, with January 1.36 1/4 to 1.36 3/4 and May 1.33 1/2 to 1.33 3/4. Oats finished 1/4c off to 1/4c up and provisions varied from 12c loss to a rise of 55c.

Gossip was current that a substitute for wheat desired for France but which could not be readily obtained 500,000 bushels or rye had been purchased at almost the highest prices yet this season. Besides foreign buying 450,000 bushels of oats were represented. Under such circumstances corn developed strength after a weak start that was ascribed to a sharp break in hog values and to an unusually big total of hog arrivals. Toward the last however, sales of corn to go to stored led to a setback in the market and so did the fact that 30,000 hogs had been left over unsold.

Oats paralleled the changes in corn. Lard and ribs were weak with hogs. Pork offerings were scarce.

**ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK**  
St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 23.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000; lower; top none; bulk none.  
Cattle—Receipts 1,800; higher; steers \$7.00 to \$17.00; cows and heifers \$5.25 to \$14.00; calves \$6.00 to \$15.50.  
Sheep—Receipts 1,500; ewes \$8.00 to \$9.50.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK**  
Chicago, Dec. 23.—Hogs—Receipts 81,000. Estimated tomorrow 25,000. Mostly 40c to 50c lower. Bulk \$13.25 to \$13.50; top \$13.65; heavy \$13.25 to \$13.50; medium \$13.30 to \$13.50; light \$13.15 to \$13.45. Light weight, good and choice \$14.00 to \$14.25; common and medium \$12.75 to \$13.15; packing sows rough \$12.00 to \$12.75; pigs \$12.25 to \$13.25.

Cattle—Receipts 12,000. Estimated tomorrow 6,000. Market strong. Beef steers—medium and heavy weight; choice and prime \$18.75 to \$20.00; medium and good \$12.50 to \$13.75; common \$8.50 to \$11.25; light weight, good and choice \$14.00 to \$14.25; common and medium \$12.75 to \$13.15; butcher cattle—heifers \$6.50 to \$14.75; cows \$6.35 to \$13.50; canners and cutters \$5.25 to \$6.35; veal calves \$15.50 to \$16.25; feeder steers \$6.75 to \$12.25; stocker steers \$6.00 to \$11.25.

Sheep—Receipts 17,000. Estimated tomorrow 15,000. Market strong. Lambs \$15.75 to \$18.00; culls and common \$11.50 to \$15.50; ewes—medium and good \$8.00 to \$10.25; culls and common \$4.75 to \$7.75.

**NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET**  
New York, Dec. 23.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red \$2.55 f. o. b. Steamer New York.  
Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 yellow \$1.64 and No. 2 mixed \$1.63 c. i. f. New York ten days shipment.  
Oats—Spot unsettled; No. 1 white 98c.

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
CITY TRANSFER CO., moving and hauling. Call James McBride or Ralph Green. Ill. phone 1690. Bell 490.

**MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS**—The Johnston Agency. 12-1-31

**AUTOMOBILE, TRUCK and TRACTOR SCHOOL.** Enroll now in the most thorough and most practical auto and tractor school in America. Write for descriptive circular. THE MOTOR INSTITUTE, 2652 University Ave. S. E. Minneapolis.

**LOST and FOUND**

STRAYED—Eight hogs weighing from 90 to 150 lbs, 8 black, one Red. Finder call R. V. Blumling, Woodson, Reward. 12-21-31

LOST—Thursday evening between Illinois college and public square or at David Prince building, gray woolen glove. Finder call Illinois phone 527. 12-21-31

LOST—Pedometer on West State street, near Economy store. Return to this office. 12-20-31

LOST—Small cameo brooch, probably in business district. Reward for return to Journal. 12-21-31

LOST—Gold and coral brooch valued as heirloom. Also gold brooch with small setting. Return to this office. Reward. 12-24-31

LOST—Black leather purse, containing glasses, money and lavallier. Reward for return to this office. 12-23-31

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.**  
Estate of Ellen Harvey, Deceased.  
The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Ellen Harvey, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 15th day of December, A. D. 1919.

LESLIE HARVEY, Executor.

Wilson & Butler, Attorneys.

### MONEY ONLY INFLUENCE ON WAVING MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Money was almost the sole influence over today's stagnant and wavering stock market call loans rising to 18 per cent the highest in several weeks, while time funds were virtually unobtainable at the quoted rates of 7 1/2 to 7 3/4 per cent.

The uncertain trend displayed by exchange on London was another disappointment, sterling reacting on nominal offerings of long time bills. Remittances to continental Europe were relatively steady.

Some encouragement was offered by developments in the domestic industrial situation, the Anaconda Copper dividend rate being maintained while the usual "extra dividend was declared on Central Leather.

Rails made no perceptible response to Washington advice that efforts were being made to reconcile differences between the senate and house regarding railroad legislation but shipments were steady to firm on prospective contracts from foreign sources. Liberty Bonds eased, with an irregular tone for foreign issues. Total sales (par value) aggregated \$33,500,000.

**EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK**  
East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 23.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000. Market 25 to 40c lower. Top \$14.00; bulk \$13.75 to \$14.00; heavy weight \$13.60 to \$13.75; medium weight \$13.50 to \$13.75; light weight \$13.30 to \$13.75; light \$13.00 to \$13.50; heavy packing sows smooth \$12.50 to \$12.75; packing sows, rough \$11.75 to \$12.50; pigs \$12.00 to \$13.75.

Cattle—Receipts 2,200. Market 25 to 50c higher. Beef steers medium and heavy weight choice and prime \$17.25 to \$19.25; medium and good \$11.50 to \$17.00; common \$8.25 to \$11.25; light weight, good and choice \$14.00 to \$20.75; common and medium \$8.00 to \$12.75; butcher cattle, heifers \$6.75 to \$16.00; cows \$6.75 to \$12.00; canners and cutters \$5.00 to \$6.50; veal calves \$15.75; feeder steers \$7.00 to \$12.00; stocker steers \$6.50 to \$10.50.

Sheep—Receipts 1,300. Market 25 to 50c higher. Lambs 84 pounds down \$14.50 to \$17.50; culls and common \$7.00 to \$14.00; yearling wethers \$12.00 to \$14.50; ewes, medium and choice \$6.50 to \$9.50; culls and common \$3.75 to \$6.00.

**KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK**  
Kansas City, Dec. 23.—U. S. Bureau of Markets.—Hogs—Receipts 14,000; lower; bulk \$13.30 to \$13.85; heavies \$13.60 to \$13.90; mediums \$13.50 to \$13.90; lights \$13.40 to \$13.80; light lights \$12.85 to \$13.60; packing sows \$12.50 to \$13.00; pigs \$12.00 to \$12.75.

Cattle—Receipts 7,200; higher; heavy beef steers choice and prime \$16.65 to \$18.90; medium and good \$13.00 to \$16.65; common \$10.65 to \$13.00; light, good and choice \$13.00 to \$18.15; common and medium \$8.15 to \$13.00; heifers \$6.50 to \$14.00; cows \$6.35 to \$12.00; veal calves \$12.75 to \$15.50; feeder steers \$7.65 to \$13.00.

Sheep—Receipts 2,000; active higher; lambs \$15.50 to \$17.00; yearling wethers \$7.50 to \$10.50; ewes \$12.50 to \$14.75; breeding ewes \$8.00 to \$11.25; feeder lambs \$11.75 to \$14.25.

**U. S. REGISTERED BONDS**  
U. S. 2s registered ..... 100  
U. S. 2s coupon ..... 100  
U. S. 3s registered ..... 88 1/2  
U. S. 3s coupon ..... 88 1/2  
U. S. 4s registered ..... 105 1/2  
U. S. 4s coupon ..... 105 1/2

**CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET**  
Chicago, Dec. 23.—Corn—No. 2 mixed unquated; No. 4 mixed \$1.42 to \$1.43; No. 2 yellow not quoted; No. 3 yellow \$1.45 1/2 to \$1.46 1/2.  
Oats—No. 2 white \$6 to \$8 1/4 c; No. 3 white \$4 to \$8 c.  
Rye—No. 2 \$1.79  
Barley—\$1.60 to \$1.67.  
Timothy seed—\$8.50 to \$11.50.  
Clover seed—\$20.00 to \$48.00.  
Pork—Nominal.

**TYPEWRITERS.**  
Bargains always in fine rebuilt standard Machines. Typewriter Ribbons INSURANCE

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304 Avers Bank Building

**GLASSES THAT SUIT**

—There are no fixed styles in eye-glasses. Every individual requires lenses that suit his needs and a style in keeping with his requirements.

**Individual Requirements**

—We fit each case on a personal basis. Your eyes are carefully tested, your needs considered and your wants consulted. Our customers' satisfaction is our greatest ambition. You will like our methods—and our service.

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### BIG LEAGUES WILL GO ON WITHOUT STARS



# Santa's Year 'Round Xmas Gift



THE joys of 1919's Christmas will be renewed every week throughout the year by the woman who becomes the happy owner of a Power Washing Machine.

No other gift exceeds this in labor saving and usefulness.

## UNITED

### CHRISTMAS WASHER

1920 Model with the "Full Swing" Dolly  
Clothes are carried a longer distance thru the water than with any other "dolly type" machine. UNITED washes faster and cleaner. Less wear on clothes. Water STAYS HOT.

Large, roomy Cypress Tub. Folding, sliding rack for extra tubs and baskets. And the price is reasonable. See them at—the Show Room, Corner N. West and West Court Streets Northeast Courthouse,

where Quality Rules and Service Is King"



Willis Herring, Retail Manager

# The Greatest Service to the Greatest Number

THUS, in seven words, is epitomized the ideals of service animating the seven men who direct the activities of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana). Maximum service is the only foundation upon which Big Business may rest securely.

It is this ideal which has impelled the Company to ceaseless effort in multiplying the number of products produced from crude petroleum, each to fulfill a definite, useful service—not to the few, but to humanity.

Only private initiative and enterprise, willing to hazard time, money, ingenuity, and effort to gain a promising but uncertain benefit, could have developed the many products manufactured by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) for the service of the people.

In the conduct of its business, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) always has recognized the four fundamental interests in all industry—capital, labor, management, and the public.

Because of this, and because it has striven to prepare every product as nearly perfect as ingenuity, integrity and earnest effort can make it, this Company has been able to approximate its ideal of the greatest service to the greatest number.

Standard Oil Company (Indiana)  
10 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

See the  
**PORTOPHONES**  
Will play any size disc  
Record  
Also  
Oak Library Student  
Table  
**EASLEY'S**  
217 W. Morgan St.  
Ill. Phone 1371  
Bell 664  
New and Second Hand  
Furniture Bought  
and Sold

**D. N. James**  
Distributor  
of all models of the  
**Auburn**  
**Beauty-Six**  
is now  
Located  
in the  
**Scott Block**  
on  
**West State St.**  
—He will have news  
of interest for the pub-  
lic soon. Watch for  
particulars.

### COAL MINER GAINS FORTY TWO POUNDS

Troubles of Twenty Years Stand-  
ing Overcome By Tak-  
ing Tanlac.

"It's a fact, I was in such  
misery from stomach trouble and  
rheumatism that I was not ex-  
pected to live but now after tak-  
ing Tanlac I feel as fine as I ever  
did in my life, and have gained  
forty-two pounds in weight," was  
the remarkable statement made  
recently by William Burg, a well  
known coal miner, who lives at  
1714 East Miller street, Spring-  
field, Ill.

"I had suffered for twenty  
years," he continued, "and was  
in as bad a fix as a man could get  
in. I had indigestion so bad that  
the minute I ate anything it  
would sour and cause gas to form  
and I would suffer terribly with  
cramps in my stomach. Even  
liquid diets would make me  
deadly sick and nauseated, and I  
often wondered how I lived thru  
such agony. I also had a bad  
case of rheumatism and my joints  
were so stiff I could hardly bend  
over to lace my shoes and I had  
such pain in my elbows that I  
couldn't lift a pick and my feet  
were so swollen and hurt so bad  
that my shoes would hardly go  
on. I tried all sorts of medicines  
and treatments and liniments but  
nothing ever gave me any relief.

"But when I began taking Tan-  
lac it went right after my troubles  
and I began to improve right  
away. All my troubles have com-  
pletely left me and I feel twenty  
years younger. I can eat any-  
thing set before me without the  
least fear and every trace of the  
rheumatism has gone. I sleep like  
a trooper every day. People who  
knew my condition are actually  
astounded when they see me now  
and without question I consider  
Tanalac the best medicine ever  
made."

TANLAC is sold in Jacksonville  
by Coover & Shreve; in Meredosia  
by Mr. R. B. Field; in Murrayville  
by M. E. Gilbert; in Waverly  
by Wyle Drug Co.; in Woodstock  
by The Hoy Pharmacy; in Chapin  
by John Onken & Bros., and in Alex-  
ander by Frank J. Kaiser.—Adv.

A NUMBER OF THE  
BEST families in the city  
have decided this year to  
buy only Whitman's, Ap-  
polo, Foss or Schraft Choco-  
lates. For sale only at  
MERRIGAN'S

### CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT CHAPIN CHURCH

Pleasing Entertainment Given at  
M. P. Church Sunday Night—  
Edelbrock Family Leaves for  
Hot Springs—Other Items from  
Chapin.

Chapin, Dec. 23.—The follow-  
ing Christmas program was given  
at the M. P. church Sunday eve-  
ning:

Song by congregation: "Joy to  
the World."  
Scripture Reading and Prayer  
—Rev. Mr. Steinfelt.  
Christmas Play, "The Top of  
the World" by the children.  
Song by children—"Luther's  
Cradle Hymn."  
Reading—Helen Sidles.  
Song by girls—"Christmas  
Carol."  
Reading—Mabel Waters.  
Song by children: "Under the  
Stars."  
Reading—Addie Fox.  
Song by girls—"Bethlehem's  
Star."  
Reading—Martha Alderson.  
Solo: "Holy Night"—Werner  
Onken.  
Song—Choir.  
Solo, "O Holy Night"—Harry  
Onken.  
The entertainment closed by  
distributing the gifts from the  
tree and treat to the Sunday  
school.

Tom Lewis and son Charlie of  
Flint, Mich., are visiting at the  
home of his wife's parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. George Brewer.

Mrs. Della Thompson of Ke-  
wanee, is visiting her mother,  
Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Frank Smith of Beards-  
town was taken to a hospital in  
Jacksonville on Monday and Mr.  
Smith was calling on friends in  
Chapin on his return home. Her  
many friends hope for her early  
recovery.

C. T. Danford and family ex-  
pect to spend Christmas with  
relatives in Pana, Ill.

Henry Edelbrock, wife and son  
Delbert, left Monday via Burling-  
ton for Hot Springs, Ark., to  
spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Post of  
Jacksonville spent Sunday at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Thomason.

Little Jack Horner sat in  
a corner eating his Xmas  
LOAF. He put in his thumb  
and pulled out a raisin and  
said: "I got this nice raisin  
loaf at THE FEDERAL  
SYSTEM OF BAKERIES,  
231 W. State St.

# STORE OPEN

Tuesday and Wednesday Until 9 P. M.

# COME AND SEE SANTA CLAUS

and His Christmas Tree

Every  
Girl or Boy  
Receives  
a Present  
When  
Accompanied  
By Parents

A Real  
Santa Claus  
Don't Fail  
to see Him

Wednesday  
Dec. 24th



## Your Last Chance-Buy Here Last Days Special

**Pure Aluminum**  
Large Size Double  
Boiler, Special \$1.89

\$2.39 GENTS- PURE SILK MUFF  
LERS, ASST. COLORS \$1.98

**Pure Aluminum**  
2 Qt. Percolator  
A Real Bargain, Special \$1.89

8 Inch Round CASSEROLES WHILE THEY  
LAST, SPECIAL \$1.69

MEN'S INITIAL 3-IN-BOX 59c A BOX		LADIES' 3-IN-BOX 29c A BOX
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MEN'S SILK NECKWEAR SPECIAL—  
100 Styles—Each Tie in Fancy Box \$1.00

BABY BUMP DOLLS 25c

# DOLLS

Special  
Dressed  
DOLLS  
Short  
Hair  
59c

\$4.98 Dressed Dolls,  
Long Curls,  
Moveable Eyes \$3.98

WHITE LINEN STATIONERY IN FANCY  
BOX, Clean Up Price 29c

COMPLETE STOCKS OF ITEMS LISTED

Silk Underwear	Silk Hosiery
Umbrellas, Purses and Bags,	Toilet Articles, White Ivory,
Silk Blouses, Gloves and Mit-	Dress Silks, Blankets, Bag
tens, Ribbons for Bags	Frames and Beads.

We Give  
25c  
GREEN  
Stamps

# RADJOHNS & REID'S

DRY GOODS STORE

Real  
Clean Up  
of  
Holiday  
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## Beautiful Gifts Here For All

- Ladies' Wrist Watches
- La Vallieres
- Sleeve Links
- Scarf Pins
- Brooches
- Gentlemen's Watches
- Diamond Rings
- Pearl Necklaces
- Manicure Sets
- French Ivory
- Cut Glass
- Silverware
- Vanity Cases
- Silver Mesh Bags

Our carefully selected display of Holiday Attractions will impress you with its worth, beauty and reason-  
able prices—Desireable, Useful, Novel and Beauti-  
ful. A special feature of our stock is the opportu-  
nity for selection. In all grades we are showing the  
newest and best of the season. Our attractions in-  
sure the greatest pleasure in buying, the most joy in  
receiving. For gifts that are popular and pleasing  
see us.

## Price's Jewelry House

218 East State Street

## URGES PEOPLE TO FIGHT CATARRH WITH SIMPLE HOME MADE REMEDY

Can Make Pint at Home and Costs Little, Says Leading  
Druggist of Covington, Ky., Who Has Made  
Special Study of Catarrh.

### Says: Inflamed Nostrils Invite Influenza

People who say that catarrh is  
a disease not to be taken serious-  
ly are harshly rebuked by a Ken-  
tucky druggist who has for years  
been much interested in the  
growth of this loathsome, yet al-  
together too common disease.

He claims that the sore, tender,  
inflamed membrane of the nos-  
trils and throat is a prolific  
breeding ground for germs—not  
only the germs of influenza, but  
many other kinds as well.

If people would only stop ex-  
perimenting for two weeks and  
try a simple remedy made of  
Mentholized Arcline mixed with  
enough boiled water to make a  
full pint, half of the catarrh in  
this country would be abolished.  
It's really no joke for people

who don't know about this simple  
recipe to be constantly sniffing  
and snuffling, blowing and hawk-  
ing, when all these obnoxious  
symptoms as well as the foul dis-  
charge can be made to disappear  
in a few days.

Ask for three-quarters of an  
ounce of Mentholized Arcline—  
that's all you need and after you  
have mixed it with enough boiled  
water to make a pint, gargle the  
throat twice daily and snuff or  
spray some up the nostrils, as di-  
rected.

The tender nostrils will soon  
lose their soreness, heal up, and be  
clean and healthy.

Important Reminder: Just as  
soon as anyone in the family gets  
a cold in the head, check it at once  
with this same medicine.

**Senreco** is the dentifrice that contains  
the properties recommended as  
ideal by United States Army  
Dental Surgeons

### EXETER

An oyster supper and dance  
will be given at the brick hall  
Wednesday evening.

The young folks here are en-  
joying skating at the present time.

Miss Doris Bishop of St. Louis  
is visiting her brother, Russel  
Bishop and family and Mr. and  
Mrs. Le Bishop.

An entertainment and Christ-  
mas tree will be given at the  
school house Wednesday after-  
noon.

Miss Anna Ratigan, Robert and  
Marion Day and Warren Brown  
attended a high school party at  
Bluffs Monday.

Harold Berry and Benny Rock-  
wood visited here Sunday.

A party was given at the school  
house here Monday night. Among  
those who attended were Misses  
Oakknoll Beekman, Kathleen Six,  
Emma Lee Brown, Alice Ratigan,  
Eunice Collison and Russel and  
Berbert Leib, Merrill Brackett,  
Philip Ratigan and Ervin Beck-  
man. Miss Bess Pieper, their  
teacher, was also present.

R. W. Collison, Mrs. Henry  
Woods, Mr. and Mrs. George Rat-  
igan were Jacksonville shoppers  
last Saturday.

Several of the young folks  
from here attended the box social  
at West Hickory last Saturday  
night.

Marion Day and Miss Grace  
Mathews visited friends in Pin  
Oak Friday and Saturday.

Miss Oakknoll Beekman visited  
in Manchester Monday.

### YOUR LAST CHANCE

To join the VOCALION  
XMAS CLUB expires this  
week. Remember that a  
small payment down and a  
few dollars every month  
puts a

### VOCALION

in your home Christmas  
morning  
THE MUSIC SHOP  
H. H. Ray, Manager  
44 North Side Square

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many  
friends and neighbors who assist-  
ed us so kindly during the illness  
and after the death of our daugh-  
ter and sister, also for the many  
beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Hattie Vallery and Family.  
Mrs. Hattie Vallery  
and Family.

### Solid Gold, Gold Filled and Sterling Pencils

SCHRAM & BUHRMAN

### CALIFORNIA VISITOR

Harry P. Thompson of Los  
Angeles, Calif., is visiting his  
brother, Clarence Thompson,  
north of the city. Mr. Thomp-  
son was at one time clerk at the  
Hotel Douglas when George W.  
Scott was manager. He is now  
engaged in business in Los An-  
geles and says that country is  
experiencing the greatest busi-  
ness in its history.

### SACRIFICING SALE OF DESIRABLE READY TO WEAR GARMENTS, FURS AND MILLINERY NOW ON AT HERMAN'S. OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRIST- MAS.

C. E. Cooper of Paris was  
called to the city on business  
yesterday.